

## MARTIN SAYS "5%ERS" SHOULD BE PUT ON TRIAL

**American People Shocked By Disclosures of Certain Racketeers**

**IS A MENACE TO GOV'T**

**Faith Destroyed in Integrity of Thousands of Honest Officials**

The American people's faith in their national government is being rapidly undermined by the series of developments in the "five percent" scandals, U. S. Senator Edward Martin, Pennsylvania, declared in a radio address broadcast over various stations during the past weekend.

The text of Senator Martin's address follows:

"This is Ed Martin, speaking to you from the Nation's Capital and bringing you another discussion of happenings in Washington.

"For the past few weeks you have been reading the newspapers and hearing on the radio about the activities of the five percenters down here in Washington.

"No doubt you have been shocked by the disclosure that certain racketeers and chiselers have been collecting large sums of money in exchange for their influence with high government officials.

"This disgraceful situation has been brought out into the open by the investigation now being conducted by a sub-committee of the Senate Committee on Executive Expenditures.

"The Chairman of this sub-committee is the able and distinguished Senator from North Carolina, the Honorable Clyde R. Hoey.

"Senator Hoey is one of the most courteous and fair minded members of the Senate. I am confident that under his direction the investigation will be vigorous and thorough.

"The question that naturally arises is why do we have these five percenters in Washington?

"It is because the Federal government has grown so big and so complicated that the average businessman, trying to do business with the government agencies, soon finds himself hopelessly entangled in a jungle of red tape.

"Of course, there can be no complaint against the reputable business representative or attorney who operates on an honest and ethical basis.

"It is the crooked dealer in influence that Senator Hoey's sub-committee is investigating. The investigation is aimed at those who claim they can get results, not available to others, because of friendship, political association or other influence with persons holding high office in the government.

"It is directed against the fakers, the fixers, and the influence peddlers, who run around Washington bragging of their connections and selling influence to the bewildered businessman.

"Every person engaged in such disgraceful practices and every official who conspires with them is a menace to our form of government. They destroy public faith and confidence in the integrity of thousands of government officials who are honest and trustworthy.

"In this discussion I shall not attempt to review the testimony that has been presented before the committee. No doubt you have been following it closely and you are familiar with its dangerous implications.

"One interesting disclosure has been proof of the old saying that 'it pays to be ignorant.'

"Three years ago the law provided

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**LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS**  
FOR 24-HOUR PERIOD ENDING 9 A. M.  
ATROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY  
BRISTOL, PA.

**Temperature Readings**  
Maximum 91  
Minimum 74  
Range 17

**Hourly Temperature**  
8 a. m. yesterday 75  
9 78  
10 81  
11 84  
12 noon 87  
1 p. m. 89  
2 90  
3 91  
4 91  
5 89  
6 88  
7 86  
8 85  
9 81  
10 80  
11 78  
12 midnight 76  
1 a. m. today 75  
2 75  
3 75  
4 76  
5 75  
6 75  
7 74  
8 75

P. C. Relative Humidity 93  
Precipitation (inches) .83

**TIDES AT BRISTOL**  
High water 7:56 a. m.; 8:31 p. m.  
Low water 2:44 a. m.; 3:00 p. m.

## G.I. on Trial



**CHARGED** with slaying three Germans in Stuttgart, Pvt. Russell Jones, 22, Fall River, Mass., is shown at his trial in Ludwigsburg, Germany. His lawyer having claimed that Jones was temporarily insane, he was questioned by an army alienist before trial. (International)

## HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

**Activities of Interest To All in The Various Communities**

### GLEANED BY SCRIBES

A well-known Doylestown man is this month celebrating 50 years of continuous service with one of Lansdale's most important industrial plants, as the acknowledged dean of the glue industry.

"Fifty years isn't so very long, at that," declared J. B. B. Stryker, president of the Perkins Glue Company, who helped found his company back in 1899. President Stryker, who lives on East Court street, Doylestown, has been receiving the congratulations of his many friends.

A resident of Doylestown for 21 years, Mr. Stryker, now 70, is the sole remaining member of the group that revolutionized wood gluing. He was 19 when he joined with the late Frank G. and Gertrude Perkins in the organization of the company.

Two World Wars and three depressions have failed to impede the progress of the Lansdale plant and its organization headed by a Doylestown man.

A copy of a formal portrait of Senor Manuel Osorio Manrique de Zungla, by Goya, has been presented to the Swartslander Memorial Community Building at Doylestown by Mrs. Martha Dana Mercer.

Painted in 1787 or 1788, the painting is outstanding not only for the marvelous technical dexterity in the handling of the paint but for the appealing subject.

The painting shows a dreamy, solemn little boy of about three or four, posing with his cats and birds. His pet napkin on a string holds in

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Bristol Parent-Teacher Association meeting for September has been changed from the 1st to the 15th of the month.

## A SUMMARY OF THE NEWS

Indications that industrial layoffs were decreasing steadily since the middle of July were seen by the Bureau of Employment Security in a report issued yesterday. Employment conditions in New York State, Governor Dewey said, "appear definitely to be on the mend."

The Senate, carrying on alone during a House "vacation," will vote today on funds for the Department of Defense. The foreign aid program will be debated in committees and efforts will be made to speed the measure to the floor.

Fiscal experts of the United States and Canada were said to have found no fundamental error in the balance sheet Britain would offer as the basis for talks in Washington next month on the sterling area's dollar crisis.

Secretary of State Acheson and British Foreign Secretary Bevin have agreed to follow the monetary conference with a review of international political questions. The agenda, it was believed, will include the Soviet-Yugoslav situation, Communist successes in China and elsewhere in the Far East, the Austrian peace treaty and a policy for dealing with the new West German Government. A group of Germans organized to seek the revival of national unity in Germany.

## Former Resident of Falls Twp. Dies at Hightstown

Death on Saturday afternoon at a nursing home in Hightstown, N. J., claimed Mrs. Katherine I. Saylor (nee Snyder), wife of the late Evan L. Saylor. Mrs. Saylor formerly made her home at Fallsington.

Her sole survivor is a son, David C. Saylor, of Pittsburgh.

The Rev. Arthur Laedlein, rector of All Saints Episcopal Church, Fallsington, will conduct the service at the funeral home of John C. Black, 314 Cedar street, at one o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Cedar Hill Cemetery, Philadelphia, will be the site of the interment. Friends are invited to call this evening.

## DOYLESTOWN TOWNSHIP TERM IS ARRANGED

**All-Day Session To Mark First Day on 7th of September**

### ONE FACULTY CHANGE

EDISON, Aug. 29 — An all-day session on Wednesday, September 7th, will open Doylestown township schools for the new term.

Registration for beginners will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 6, from nine until three o'clock. Beginners must be six before Feb. 1, 1950, and each must present a birth certificate as well as a vaccination certificate.

Bus schedules for the elementary pupils will be the same as in effect at the end of the last term. Schedules for transporting pupils to Doylestown high school have not been completed as yet because the school board is awaiting approval of bus stops by the State Highway Department.

There has been one change in the faculty. Miss Emille Luke, a resident of Mahanoy City and a recent graduate of Bucknell University, Lewisburg, will replace Mrs. Paul W. Kutz as a teacher of English and social studies in grades 6, 7, and 8. In addition, Miss Luke, who has also majored in music, will teach music in all the grades.

Other members of the faculty are: Paul W. Kutz, principal; Mrs. John Roberts, Grade 5; Mrs. Raymond Fox, Grade 4; Mrs. Carl Young, Grade 3; Mrs. John Rufe, Grade 2; and Mrs. Sampson McDowell, formerly Miss Evelyn Stever, will teach grade one. Mrs. Paul Kutz will teach art in grades 6, 7, 8 in order that Miss Luke will be able to teach music in the lower grades.

Because of the overcrowded condition, the fifth grade will be housed at the Tabor Home.

## Annual Outing, Youth Fellowship, Conducted

Seaside Heights, N. J., was the seashore resort chosen by Bensalem Methodist Youth Fellowship for its annual trip on Saturday.

Bathing and amusements were enjoyed by the following: Charles Lorenzo, Sarah Gottsabend, Eileen Graham, Jacquelin Martin, Edith Lake, Joan Roberts, Thomas Vansant, Robert Weller, Walter Myers, Shirley Cole, Dorothy Haas, Robert Randall, Gilbert Myers, Harold Myers, Doris Cole, Howard Bates, Thomas Bates, Leigh Johnson, William Randall, and Elsa Ott.

Transportation was provided by Charles Lorenzo, Thomas Vansant and Gilbert Myers.

Need Money? Let the Want Ads pinch hit for you. Sell don't wants.

## IN WAKE OF FLORIDA HURRICANE



Damage estimated at \$10,000,000 was caused by the devastating hurricane that tore across southern Florida. How terrific was its force is here indicated. An uprooted palm tree has been hurled through the second-story window of a residence.

## BRACKEN CADETS TO COMPETE IN BIG EVENT

**Bristol Group Considered To Be Contenders For Honors**

### DRAW 25TH POSITION

Robert W. Bracken Post, No. 382, Junior Cadet Corps are all set to compete today for the national championship of the junior drum and bugle corps held in connection with the American Legion convention at Olney high school stadium.

Twenty-five corps are competing and last evening there was a drawing for the order in which the corps will take the field. Bracken Post Corps drew 25th, the last position.

The competition was scheduled to get under way this morning at nine o'clock.

The corps competing come from all over the country. There are four from Chicago, and others from Baltimore, New Jersey, Utah, South Dakota, New England, Iowa and Texas.

The Bracken cadets are in good shape and it was generally considered that they had a chance to win the national championship.

Jesse W. Soby Post Cadets, of Langhorne, drew 19th position.

## Helen Simpson Is 16; Has Gala Celebration

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Simpson, Dorance street, entertained on Wednesday evening in honor of their daughter Helen who was celebrating her 16th birthday anniversary. A social time was enjoyed including the playing of games for prizes were given. A buffet lunch was served. Decorations were in aqua and yellow.

Those attending were: Charlotte Booz, Marie Piorro, Lois Black, Joan Vanzant, Mary Tambarello, Winifred Margerum, Lillian Adams, Leonard Piorro, Harry Smith, Angelo Lattanzi, George Jacoby, LeRoy Hill, Charles Utz, "Danny" McDevitt, Alan Stoneback, Louis Piorro, James Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Booz and Elaine Simpson, Bristol; Gertrude Smith and Norma Waite, Croydon; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reichert, Holmesburg.

Heien was the recipient of gifts.

## 3M Stockholders To Vote On Stock Purchase

Stockholders of the Minnesota Mining & Manufacturing Co. will vote September 15 on a stock purchase plan for employees, according to William L. McKnight, 3M president.

The special meeting of stockholders will be held at the firm's home offices in St. Paul, Minn. If the plan is approved, 75,000 new shares of no-par 3M common stock will be authorized for sale to employees only.

Under provisions of the plan, employees of the parent company and of wholly-owned subsidiaries would be offered two purchase arrangements permitting installment payments.

Complete details of the plan will be made public if a majority of the stockholders vote approval, McKnight said.

### 14 STITCHES

Fourteen stitches were taken in a wound on the right hand of Mary Kohen, Logan street, at Harriman Hospital, Saturday evening. She was injured when she fell and her hand struck a window, hospital records show.

## QUAKERTOWN TO HAVE A COMMUNITY AFFAIR

**Workers' Unions Outline Events for Adults and Childrep**

### TO BE ON LABOR DAY

QUAKERTOWN, Aug. 29 — With union members as sponsors, a community celebration will be conducted here on Labor Day. The Moulders Union, Hosiery Workers Union, Amalgamated Clothing Workers and Leather Workers will join forces for a full day program for adults and children.

Affairs will center at Memorial Park.

A talent show and professional entertainment will be staged by a radio station, and Richard Strayer will have charge of children's events.

Rotarians, Kiwanians and Lions are expected to put on their annual baseball frolic and other events will be provided.

The local committee on arrangements includes Edwin Erwin, Richard Strayer, Ray Z. Hartman and Norman Stahl.

Quakertown unions are donating funds to defray necessary expenses.

## Reckless Driving Is Charged A Phila. Man

FALLSINGTON, Aug. 29 — The driver of a sedan, who caused property damage listed at \$275 here early yesterday morning, was released under bail for a hearing, the charge being reckless driving.

According to Penna. State Police, Langhorne barracks, Albert Roscioli, of 3200 block of Crescent street, Philadelphia, was traveling east on U. S. 1 when the car ran off the highway, struck a guard rail pole and knocked down a "stop" sign at the intersection of Route 1 and Fallsington road. Damage to property of Penna. Dept. of Highways is listed at \$100, and to the automobile \$175.

Neither the driver nor the three other occupants were injured.

Mrs. Ethel Clark, 39, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is in a critical condition in Abington Memorial Hospital with fractures of the skull and jaw as a result of an accident early yesterday on Route 202 near the National Agricultural College, a mile west of Doylestown.

At 12:40 this morning, Mrs. Edith Lloyd, Newark, N. J., was shaken up when the car driven by her brother is said to have been struck in the rear by another machine, as the driver was fixing the windshield wiper. Mrs. Lloyd was taken to Mercer Hospital, Trenton, N. J., by Bucks County Rescue Squad for treatment for shock.

### RETURN TO FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Wear, formerly of Bristol, who have been spending the summer in Bucks county, have returned to their home at Bonita Springs, Fla.

### Do You Remember?

(By "The Stroller")

Many years ago ice was cut from Silver Lake and stored in large ice houses built along the lake. These were wooden structures above the ground, erected on deep stone foundations. Much of the ice was packed below the surface of the ground and covered with ground cork and sawdust.

The ice was hauled up an incline which was raised as the pile of ice became higher. This was long before the days of artificial ice.

## Mrs. Charles Quaiser Dies at Home of Son

CROYDON, Aug. 29 — Mrs. Pauline Quaiser, widow of Charles Quaiser, died Saturday at the home of her son, August, 430 Sycamore avenue, where she has been residing.

Another son, George, of Mayfair, survives, as do also two grandchildren, Elma and Sherman Quaiser, of Mayfair. The deceased was a member of St. Thomas R. C. Church, here.

Requiem Mass is to be sung at 10 o'clock in St. Thomas Aquinas R. C. Church tomorrow at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Peter's Cemetery, Philadelphia. Relatives are invited to a funeral home at 3301 Cottman street, Philadelphia, at 8:30 tomorrow morning, prior to mass; also to call this evening from seven to nine.

## HURRICANE'S TAIL STRIKES THIS AREA

**Some Trees and Limbs Are Blown Down; Electric Service Disrupted**

### HEAVY RAIN, WINDS

The tail-end of the Florida hurricane struck lower Bucks County early this morning, uprooting trees, snapping off limbs, tearing down wires and disrupting electrical service. There was heavy rain and high winds.

In Bristol a large tree in the yard of the Farmers National Bank of Bucks County was blown down by the storm, breaking the iron fence on the Radcliffe street side. A tree was also blown down on Trenton avenue, off of Jefferson avenue. A wire was down on Lafayette street, and hundreds of small limbs littered the streets and the St. James' Churchyard on Walnut street.

The temperature here yesterday reached a high of 91 at three and four o'clock in the afternoon. The temperature at eight o'clock yesterday was 75 and climbed gradually to the 91 mark, after which it began dropping, reaching a low of 74, or a range of 17 for the day. The per cent of relative humidity was 93, and the rain-fall early this morning recorded a precipitation of .83 of an inch.

Information on electrical service interruption given by the Philadelphia Electric Company for Bucks County and surrounding area includes: Minor service interruptions in Bristol and vicinity; interruptions in North Wales, Doylestown and Wyncote areas; also in the Parkland, Siles and Trevores areas.

The falling of trees and limbs started at about four o'clock this morning, Philadelphia Electric Co. officials state, and the crews were busy for several hours thereafter. A tree fell over wires on the Lincoln highway and was the cause of

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### BABIES ARRIVE

A son was born on Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. George McCaw, Bristol Terrace 1, Saturday, in Harriman Hospital. A daughter was born Saturday in that hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kohanski, Croydon.

### STARTS TRAINING

CROYDON, Aug. 29 — Miss Lorna Smith, Second avenue, has left her position at Rosakis' store, Bristol, to commence training as a nurse at Women's Medical College of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

## At Last 'Roundup'



**COMMANDER** in Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, Theodore A. Penland, 100, Vancouver, Wash., waves a cheery hello as he arrives in Indianapolis for the last encampment of the G.A.R. Five others were in attendance. (International)

## EDNA L. LEICHLITER AND P. GOSLIN WED

**Irvin Leichter Gives His Sister in Marriage on Saturday**

### A CHURCH CEREMONY

A late summer wedding, solemnized in Bristol Presbyterian Church, at two o'clock Saturday afternoon, united Miss Edna L. Leichter, 539 Bath street, and Mr. Paul Goslin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goslin, Bath street. The reception which followed was held at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Bertha Leichter, Bath street.

An afternoon frock of blue taffeta was worn by the bride; and the dress worn by her sister and only attendant, Mrs. John Griffiths, Bath street, was of dark green taffeta. Accessories of both were gray, and the bride and bridesmaid carried bouquets of roses.

The Rev. Edward G. Yeomans officiated; and Mr. Charles Goslin, Bath street, was best man for his brother. Organist for the occasion was Mr. Francis Phipps; and Mr. Irvin Leichter gave his sister in marriage.

Upon their return from the District of Columbia, Mr. and Mrs. Goslin will make their home at 539 Bath street.

## Johnston Residence In Croydon Is Shower Scene

CROYDON, Aug. 29 — A surprise shower was given in honor of Mrs. Elsworth Weikel at the home of Mrs. William Johnston, Thursday evening. The dining room was decorated in pink and blue, and the table was so arranged as to form a bassinette.

Those present: Mrs. A. Fisher, Mrs. William Conn, Miss Mary Lamina, Mrs. Joseph Rauback, Mrs. Arthur Teichman, Mrs. William Johnston, Jr., Mrs. William Saibold, Mrs. Francis Grafenstine, Mrs. Michael Sottung.

## ADMINISTERS OATH TO BIESTER AS A BUCKS CO. JUDGE

**Former District Attorney Is The Youngest to Serve in That Capacity**

### A LARGE GATHERING

**Willard S. Curtin Succeeds Biester As District Attorney**

DOYLESTOWN, Aug. 29 — Edward G. Biester, former district attorney of Bucks County, this morning was administered the oath of office as an additional law judge of the seventh judicial district of Pennsylvania. This was the first time such a ceremony had taken place in Bucks County in the last 19 years, and there was a large assembly of relatives and friends, members of the Bucks County Bar, and representatives of civic and semi-civic groups in the county. There were 12 baskets and vases of flowers sent as congratulatory "messages."

Mr. Biester becomes the 20th judge to serve Bucks County and the youngest one ever to fill that high position.

The ceremony took place at a special session of court. The appointment of Mr. Biester as Judge by Governor James H. Duff was read by Isaac S. Gross, prothonotary. Biester was named to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Judge Calvin S. Boyer on July 12th, due to ill health.

"Do you accept the appointment?" Judge Keller asked Mr. Biester. "I do," Mr. Biester replied.

Mr. Biester then filed his resignation as district attorney in the Court of Common Pleas, stipulating that Willard Curtin, the present assistant district attorney, be named to the office which he was

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## Mrs. Ludwig Muensterer, Age 46, Dies in Hospital

HULMEVILLE, Aug. 29 — Ill for a month, and hospitalized 10 days, Mrs. Katherine Muensterer (nee Purvin), wife of Ludwig Muensterer, died in Abington Hospital on Saturday. She was 46 years of age.

Mrs. Muensterer had resided at Trenton and Durham roads, Middletown township, for four years, and previous to that lived at Newportville for eight years. She was a native of Germany.

The deceased held membership in Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, Penndel; and in Minnewa Council, No. 142, Daughters of Pocahontas. The latter organization will conduct a service at eight o'clock tomorrow evening at the Faust funeral home, Bellevue avenue, here. Service there on Wednesday afternoon will be at two o'clock. Interment is to take place in Oakland Cemetery, Philadelphia, and friends may call tomorrow evening from seven to nine.

Surviving Mrs. Muensterer are her husband; a daughter, Judith Ann, aged four years; her mother, Mrs. Marie Purvin, Middletown township; and the following sister and brothers: Mrs. Gottlieb Duerr, August Purvin, Philadelphia; Albert Purvin, Bristol; William Purvin, Langhorne R. D. 1.

Those present: Mrs. A. Fisher, Mrs. William Conn, Miss Mary Lamina, Mrs. Joseph Rauback, Mrs. Arthur Teichman, Mrs. William Johnston, Jr., Mrs. William Saibold, Mrs. Francis Grafenstine, Mrs. Michael Sottung.

### ONE MAN'S OPINION

**By Walter Kiernan**  
(Distributed by International News Service)

This promises to be a profitable week. . . today President Truman tells how to win the peace and tomorrow General Vaughan tells how to win other interesting prizes.

Mr. Truman was happy to accept the invitation to the Legion Convention in Philadelphia. . . he always has a nice time at conventions in Philadelphia.

The Legion was thinking of inviting Governor Dewey too but they were afraid he might get ideas again.

Anyway it was appropriate that Mr. Truman be invited to speak because of his record in three major conflicts. . . two in Europe and one in Washington.

Dixiecrats think they got the armed-night speech last week by mistake. They say the President's terms for rejoining the party of the people sounded like Capt. Truman of Battery D dictating unconditional surrender.

I won't say it will lead to trouble but they're buying more powder down there than there are possums to shoot at.

## LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

### Concede Defeat of Economy "Rider"

Washington — Senate backers of the McClellan economy "rider" to require President Truman to slash Government spending by from five to ten per cent privately conceded defeat today. One top-ranking Republican said that because of absences, Sen. McClellan (D, Ark.) would "fall short" of the two-thirds margin he must have when the showdown comes at two p. m., EDT, today.

### Poling Asks Legion to Support Pacific Pact

Philadelphia — Dr. Daniel A. Poling, president of the Christian Herald, today called on the American Legion to support a "MacArthur plan and a Pacific pact" to fight Communism in the Far East. Dr. Poling, addressing the Legion's 31st annual convention, declared he believed China and the Far East can be saved from Communism. He warned, however, that "World War Three is inevitable" if Communism is not choked off in the East. The prominent Baptist minister criticized this nation's foreign policy in the Far East, and called for an



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### UNCLE SAM, MERCHANT

Those who believe in the effi-  
ciency of government operations  
should consider for a moment the  
career of Uncle Sam, merchant.

One week this month he  
bought and stored 10,000,000  
pounds of butter, giving him a  
total butter inventory of 20,000-  
000 pounds at a cost of 62 cents  
wholesale. Since January 1 he's  
stocked 143,000,000 dozen eggs,  
one for each citizen of the coun-  
try. He has acquired 583,000,000  
bushels of corn and nearly as  
much wheat. The great gob of  
spuds on Uncle Sam's shelves is  
an old story.

Uncle Sam, merchant, has a  
headache over his inventory now  
and will have a worse one. His  
backers, the taxpayers, are con-  
tracting a severe pain in the neck.

Some of the members of the  
board of directors want to cut  
down on this inventory, but  
others are determined to add to  
it vastly by offering more money  
for any odds and ends lying loose  
around the country that Uncle  
Sam can pick up. The idea seems  
to be to create the biggest junk  
yard the world ever saw. If there  
are no customers for the junk,  
why what the heck?

In terms of the experience of  
any individual this is utterly pre-  
posterous. Yet Uncle Sam, mer-  
chant, is doing it every day. He's  
a great old buyer of goods with  
absolutely no ideas about mer-  
chandising them.

### SPARKS IN THE BALKANS

Under ordinary circumstances  
the idea of two communist nations  
fighting each other is not distaste-  
ful to Americans and other free  
peoples. The theory is that the  
busier Russia is kept disciplining  
her satellites the greater is the  
drain on her resources and the  
less of a menace she is to her  
peaceful neighbors in western  
Europe.

Unfortunately, it is difficult to  
cultivate this comfortable feeling  
about the present conflict between  
the Soviet and Yugoslavia. That  
is because it is never safe to ig-  
nore affairs in the Balkans. This  
particular region has always been  
a European trouble spot and the  
world knows to its sorrow the  
woes that have come to it from  
little battles that have started  
there.

How serious the Soviet is in  
its determination to liquidate the  
Tito government and how far it  
will go in achieving its purpose  
must be, for the moment, matters  
of conjecture. But obviously it  
can continue merely to write  
threatening notes and issue name  
calling radio broadcasts to which  
Yugoslavia can reply in kind. The  
Russians will not be able to save  
face through that process and it  
is not in their recent tradition to  
back down when national prestige  
is at stake.

So there could be no bloodshed  
eventually and that is where the  
danger lies. That explains, too,  
why both France and Great Brit-  
ain are worried. They remember  
that other fires lighted in the Bal-  
kans became full-size conflagra-  
tions in the end.

## ECHOES OF THE PAST

(By Courier Staff Member)

Review of the news as it appeared in the Bucks County Gazette  
issue dated at Bristol June 14, 1900. The Gazette, a weekly news-  
paper published in Bristol, was discontinued following its merger

At the annual meeting of the  
Union Building and Loan Associa-  
tion, held on Monday evening, the  
following directors were elected for  
the ensuing year: Ernest Lawrence,  
William Crichton, Andrew Bauer,  
Albert Loechner, William J. Davis,  
Doron Green and Louis Loechner.  
At a subsequent meeting of the di-  
rectors, the following officers were  
chosen: Andrew Bauer, president;  
B. F. Gilkeson, secretary; H. B.  
Beatty, treasurer.

The well-known eye specialists,  
W. H. Podesta & Co., of Philadel-  
phia, have opened an office in Bris-  
tol at Martin's drug store on Rad-  
cliffe street.

Lawrence F. McOwen, of Bristol,  
was one of the graduates of the  
Department of Law of the Universi-  
ty of Pennsylvania (Philadelphia)  
yesterday. Thomas O. Peirce,  
formerly of this place, was also a  
graduate.

Special prices this week: . . .  
Finest Carolina head rice, 6c; bar-  
rel steel tacks, 3 barrels, 5c; 60  
clothes pins, 5c; jar rubbers, per  
doz, 4c. S. C. Childs, Mill and Cedar  
sts. (Advertisement).

Dannis A. Dugan and William A.  
Girton have been drawn on the  
grand jury for the September term  
of criminal court. For traverse  
jurors—Charles M. Guyon and  
Charles Wollard have been drawn.  
For the October civil term—Neil J.  
McIlvaine, Joseph G. Bell, William  
J. Brennan, Robert T. Rue, R. Ches-  
ter Stover, James Harkins, William  
S. Daniels, William La Rue and  
Daniel Campbell have been drawn.

The Philadelphia conference of  
the A. M. E. Church adjourned at  
Chester on Monday. Bishop Der-  
rick announced the appointments of  
which the following is a portion of  
the list: Bristol, W. H. Bryant;  
Langhorne, C. F. Warfield; Ben-  
salem, J. W. Polk; Newtown, Wil-  
liam Oliver.

The borough street committee  
yesterday reconsidered their deter-  
mination relative to the resurfacing

of Radcliffe street. They have de-  
cided to put a top dressing upon the  
three-quarter stone and have the  
street rolled in the usual manner.  
The numerous complaints as to its  
present condition may have had  
some influence in changing the ac-  
tion of the committee.

Colonel Edward deV. Morrell, of  
Torresdale, has been elected master  
of hounds of the Rose Tree Hunt  
Club to succeed the late George W.  
Hill.

(Following items from Gazette of  
June 21, 1900)

General Davis, president of the  
Bucks County Historical Society,  
has received from Charles Young,  
in charge of the department of  
heraldry of the Bailey, Banks &  
Biddle establishment, Philadelphia,  
a handsomely embossed design of  
the original tree and vine county  
seal of Bucks.

While crossing the Reading Rail-  
road at Wissahickon on Friday  
night, Aaron Farrell, of Bristol, a  
veteran of the Civil War, was struck  
by a train and instantly killed. Mr.  
Farrell lived on the upper part of  
Radcliffe street, near the Hollow  
bridge, and was on the way to the  
home of his brother, Moses Farrell,  
Roxborough, to attend the funeral  
of Harry Nace, a life-long friend.

St. Paul's Mission was crowded  
last Friday evening with people who  
responded to the invitation to be  
present to welcome the Rev. Thom-  
as J. Garland, the new minister in  
charge.

Introductory remarks were by  
William V. Leech.

HULMEVILLE—Daniel Alexan-  
der has been receiving congratula-  
tions from his many friends of late.  
It is said that "Dan" became tired  
of single blessedness and took unto  
himself a wife on May 30th.

PENNS MANOR—About 100 cases  
of the 1899 tobacco crop in the  
Manor have been hauled to Tully-  
town station and put on board cars,  
bought by E. L. Nissly & Co., Lan-  
caster County.

### Martin Says "5 Percenters" Should Be Put On Trial

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that building materials must be  
saved for homes. None could be  
diverted for such non-essential con-  
struction as race tracks.

"Yet, a race track in California  
got permission to go ahead and  
build grandstands. True, it took  
some intensive pushing by General  
Harry Vaughan, the President's  
Military Aide. But it was a rather  
cute loophole in the law which  
finally cleared the way.

"The law provided that, if some-  
one had innocently started to build  
a non-essential project, in ignor-  
ance of the law, then the Federal  
Housing Expediter had discretion-  
ary power to permit the work to  
continue.

"The racetrack people appeared  
thoroughly advised on this loop-  
hole. They just went ahead and  
built. When the housing authorities  
moved in to stop them, they looked  
innocently bewildered. They point-  
ed to their started project and yell-  
ed for help. They knew where to  
get it.

"Immediately John F. Maragon  
and James V. Hunt, two five per-  
centers, with the influence of Gen-  
eral Vaughan, went to work.

"Thereupon the Federal Housing  
Expediter exercised his discretion  
to give the racetrack the green light  
to finish the project.

"Well, you see it pays to be ig-  
norant, even if you have to buy that  
ignorance from a Washington five  
percenter.

"When the testimony is completed  
and corruption is established, every  
one involved in these scandals  
should be prosecuted promptly and  
vigorously and to the full extent  
of the law.

"As citizens interested in good  
government we should give serious  
thought to the conditions that made  
this investigation necessary.

"Experience has shown that the  
bigger government becomes and the  
farther its functions are removed  
from the people, the greater are the  
opportunities for graft and corrup-  
tion.

"In recent years the Federal  
government has grown by leaps and  
bounds without the slightest re-  
semblance of systematic planning. It  
has become a hodge-podge—a crazy  
quilt of duplication and overlapping.  
"Many of the same functions are  
carried on in different agencies,  
boards and commissions, each act-  
ing independently of the other and  
frequently at cross-purposes.

"It is no wonder that the average  
businessman who comes to Wash-  
ington is pushed around from pillar  
to post trying to find the right of-  
ficial to talk to about his particular  
problem.

"The larger corporations have  
established offices, manned by full-  
time staffs, to expedite the handling  
of their business with the govern-  
ment.

"But the little fellow—the small  
businessman—cannot afford to

maintain permanent representation  
in Washington.

"When he comes to the Capital he  
finds himself confused and bewil-  
dered, trying to grope his way  
through the mazes of Federal  
bureaucracy. He searches for some-  
one who knows the ropes—and  
that is where the five percenter  
comes in.

"Frequently the businessman  
falls into the hands of one who  
pretends that nothing can be accom-  
plished without influence—and  
that influence can be had at a price.  
"He is handed the same old line  
—so often repeated here in Wash-  
ington.

"It's not what you know but who  
you know that gets results.

"That alone should serve as a  
warning but too often, I regret to  
say, it is accepted by men who  
should know better.

"Because the government has  
grown so big every Senator and  
every Congressman is swamped  
with requests from constituents  
seeking advice and guidance in gov-  
ernment matters.

"That grows out of the fact that  
the United States government has  
become the biggest business cor-  
poration in the world.

"Just ten years ago we were  
greatly alarmed because Federal  
government spending had reached  
10 billion dollars a year. In the  
present fiscal year the government  
will spend approximately 46 and a  
half billions.

"In order to visualize this enor-  
mous increase in government and  
its spending, let me make a few  
comparisons.

"During President Roosevelt's  
three terms the average yearly  
spending of the Federal government  
was 31 billion dollars, including  
most of the military cost of World  
War II.

"In the four post-war years of  
the Truman Administration, in  
peace time, the average yearly  
spending has jumped to 45 billion  
dollars, an increase of almost fifty  
percent.

"Mr. Truman has collected and  
spent more money than all the  
other 31 Presidents put together  
down to the beginning of World  
War II.

"In 152½ years they spent a little  
less than 180 billion dollars.

"Now, mark this.

"In the four years from July 1,  
1945 to July 1 of this year the pre-  
scent Administration has spent more  
than 180 billion dollars.

"Let me make another compari-  
son.

"Taxes went up in the Roosevelt  
Administration. They were increas-  
ed 16 times to the highest levels in  
the history of our country.

"During that period the average  
yearly tax collection by the Federal  
government was 14 billion dollars.

"The Truman Administration has  
collected three times that amount  
in taxes each year and last January  
recommended further tax increases.  
However, that recommendation has  
since been withdrawn.

"In 1940, three billion dollars of  
the government spending went di-

rectly to the business concerns of  
our country. But this year, only 3  
years later, more than 20 billions  
of government money will flow di-  
rectly into the business concerns.  
"From those figures you can read-  
ily understand that our government  
is the biggest single customer in  
the world.

"It is no wonder that hundreds of  
businessmen troop into Washington  
every day seeking government ord-  
ers or contracts.

"With the confusion that now  
exists the small businessman is  
forced to employ someone who rep-  
resents himself as an expert.

"The present investigation of the  
five percenters has already resulted  
in one decided improvement that  
will be helpful to the small busi-  
nessman.

"The Secretary of Defense, Louis  
Johnson, has directed the estab-  
lishment of a new information center  
for military procurement. Offices  
have been set up in the Pentagon  
Building staffed by Army, Navy and  
Air Force personnel.

"Here complete information is  
available to all prospective bidders  
without the assistance of the influ-  
ence peddler or the professional  
fixer.

"That is a step in the right direc-  
tion. It should be adopted by all  
other departments.

"During the 80th Congress I was  
a member of the Senate Small  
Business Committee which perfor-  
med a valuable service for small  
business in America.

"It was created to help the little  
fellow with his business problems.  
Thousands of them called upon the  
Committee for guidance and assis-  
tance in their dealings with the  
government.

"They did not need the help of  
five percenters, but I regret to re-  
port that the majority party in the  
Senate has refused to continue the  
Small Business Committee. It no  
longer exists.

"The five percenter is a parasite  
of big government. The denser the  
jungle in Washington becomes, the  
more he thrives.

"The real way to eliminate the  
five percenters is to hack away the  
thicket of red tape, confusion and  
duplication.

"The great need today is to  
streamline the government and do  
away with the zig-zag ramifications  
that have developed through the  
years of mismanagement.

"If we do this the average citizen  
will not have to pay a guide to take  
him through the jungle of govern-  
ment.

"In conclusion let me say with all  
the emphasis at my command that  
if our government is not stream-  
lined—if spending is not curtailed  
—if waste and extravagance is not  
eliminated—if we do not return to  
sound fiscal policies—the five  
percenter will be the least of our  
worries."

### Here and There In Bucks County Towns

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its back a card bearing Goya's sig-  
nature.

The artist's affectionate feeling  
for children—his wife bore him 29  
—resulted in sympathetic portraits.

The quiet elegance of this por-  
trait is characteristic of this period  
of Goya's activity shortly before he  
was made court painter. The origi-

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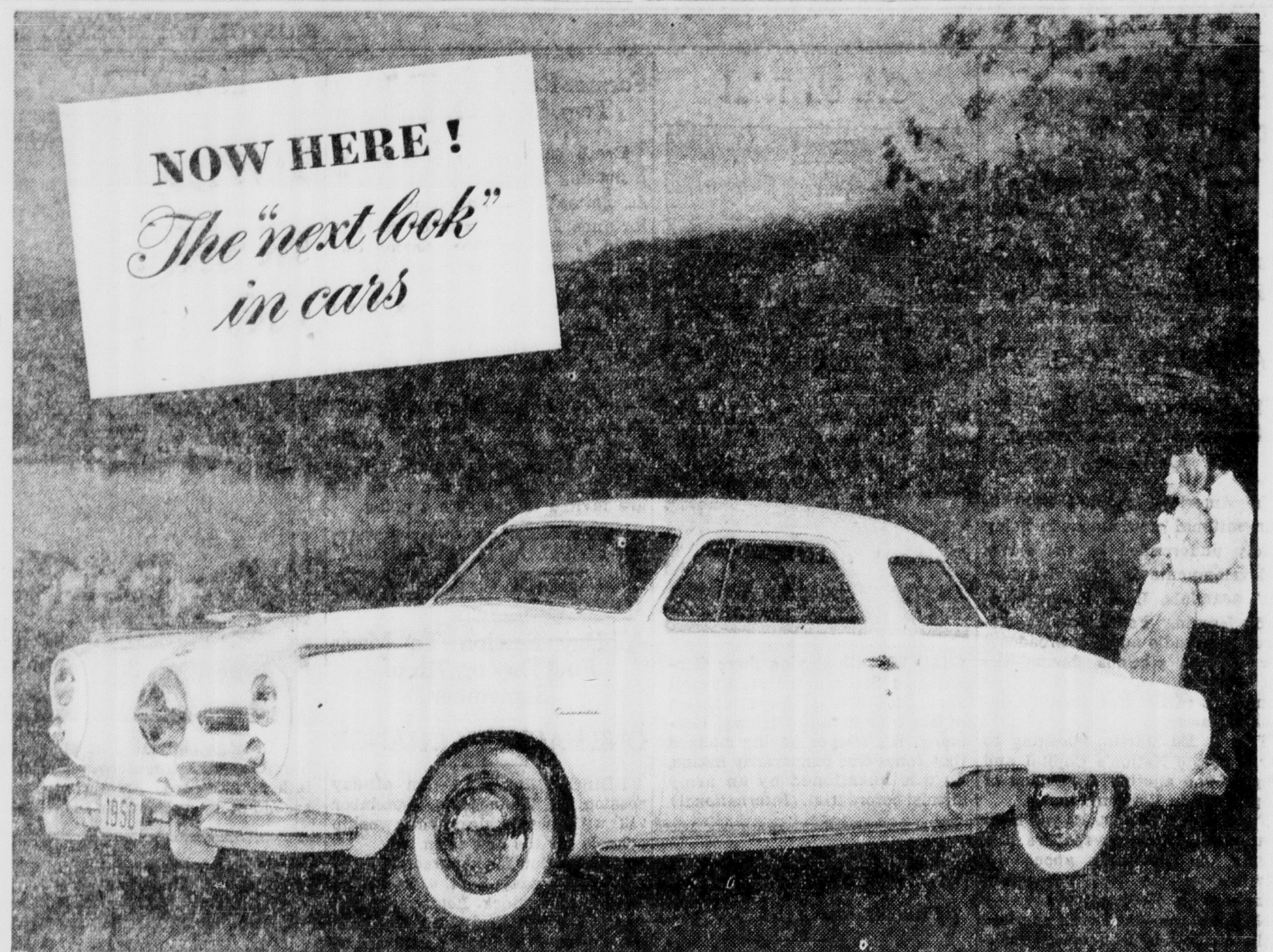
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len, Richboro; Mr. and Mrs. Harry  
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ry

and Carolyn Gill, Richboro; and Mr.  
and Mrs. Edward Williams,  
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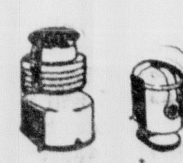
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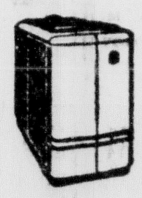
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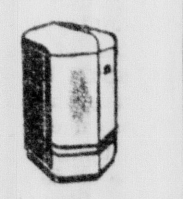
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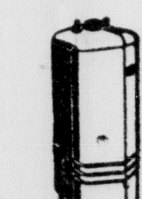
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## YOUTH LEAGUE PLAYOFFS AGAIN ARE DEADLOCKED

CROYDON, Aug. 29—As a result of Bristol Terrace winning over Croydon A. C. here, yesterday afternoon, the Bristol Youth Baseball League playoffs are again deadlocked. Final score of the tilt was: Terrace, 9; Croydon, 6.

The fifth and final game of the series will be played Labor Day afternoon on the Third Ward field. League officials completed arrangements for this game last evening. Last season, Croydon and Terrace went five games in their playoff series, with Croydon finally emerging the victor. Terrace had won the first two games and then lost the next three.

"Pete" Rubino won his second mound win of the series by beating the Croydonites. In doing so, he

permitted four hits. In the fourth and fifth frames, Rubino's mates cracked behind his pitching and aided by a triple from the bat of "Jim" Marshall pulled within striking distance of the Terrace score.

The winners had nine hits off Lane Conn and "Jimmy" Morrell. Conn went to pieces in the fifth and was replaced by Morrell. Leading the Terrace team with the stick were Frank Barbetta and Graeco White. The latter had three hits and drove in two runs while Barbetta had two out of three and also had two runs batted in.

Four runs in the fifth actually gave Marty Braam's team the victory. The trouble started with one gone when Frank Rich walked and White singled. "Bill" Condit then larruped a triple to left and both runners crossed. A walk, a hit batsman, and an error produced two more runs and the game was in the bag for Terrace.

Lineups:  
Terrace: ab r h o a e  
Braam ss 3 0 0 2 3 1  
Barbetta c 3 2 2 4 1 1  
Weida rf 3 1 0 0 0 0  
Rich lf 2 1 1 1 0 1

White cf	4	1	3	2	0	0
Condit lb	3	1	1	5	1	0
Cochran 2b	3	1	1	0	1	2
J. Muth 3b	3	1	1	0	1	2
Rubino p	4	1	0	0	3	1
	29	9	9	21	9	6
Croydon	2	1	0	2	4	2
Loeffler ss	4	0	1	0	2	0
Struble 2b	3	2	1	7	1	0
Dominick c	3	2	1	6	0	0
Moll lb	3	1	0	1	1	0
Holgate cf, 3b	3	1	0	1	1	0
Hedrick rf, cf	3	0	0	1	0	1
Morrell 2b, p	3	0	0	1	0	1
Marshall lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Conn rf, p	3	0	0	1	2	0
	26	6	4	21	10	3

Score by innings:  
Terrace 2 2 0 0 4 1 0—9  
Croydon 0 0 0 3 3 0 0—6

Michener, Pulitzer  
Winner, Off On Trip

DOYLESTOWN, Aug. 29—Pulitzer prize winning author James A. Michener, and Mrs. Michener have left Colorado for Australia and islands of the south Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Michener, who reside in Tinicum township when in Bucks county, left Thursday by plane for Australia. They will be gone until next March while Mr. Michener is doing a magazine stint

for a popular magazine. The former World War II Naval officer will re-visit many of the islands which he caught on the printed page of his famed book, "Tales of the South Pacific."

"We feel lonely and miss, so

much, everything about the East," Mrs. Michener wrote a friend near here. "We are making the trip by air because of the tie-up in ships. We hardly get any New York city news or other news about the East but have managed to see one Sunday issue of 'The New York

Times' and through a friend, who was lucky enough to have a subscription to another New York newspaper, manage to keep up with the news trends. "My husband enjoys this part of the world—Colorado—but I have been much affected by the altitude."

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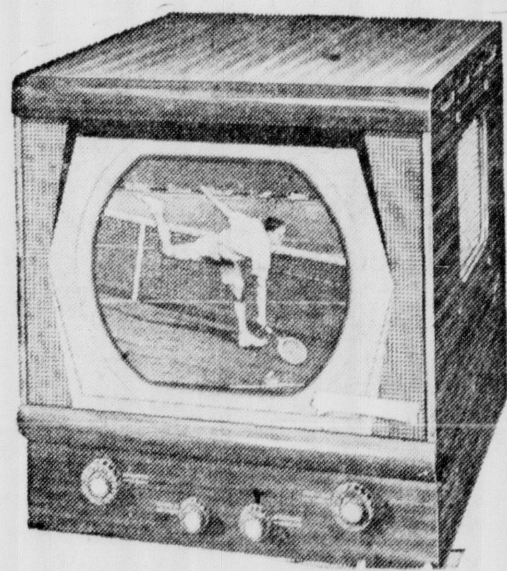
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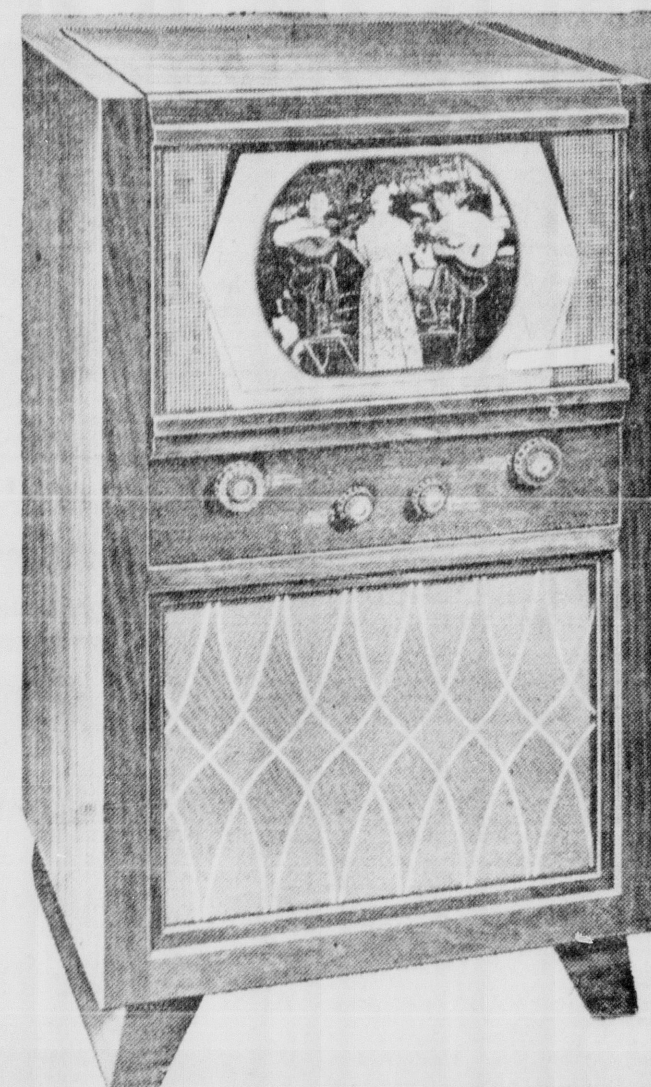
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## Administers Oath to Biester As A Bucks County Judge

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acating. The oath of office was administered by Judge Keller. Mr. Curtin is the district attorney of Bucks County to serve until January 1, 1950. Mr. Curtin then resigned as assistant district attorney, and suggested as his successor Donald Vanartsdalen, of Doylestown. Mr. Vanartsdalen, a 30-year-old, is a veteran of World War II, was then sworn in as assistant district attorney by Judge Keller.

At the conclusion of the impressive ceremony, the newly-appointed incumbents were extended congratulations by those in the audience.

## Hurricane's Tail Strikes This Area

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service interruption in that section. There was also difficulty at Hordsham.

Shortly before six o'clock this morning a number of homes and business places in the Cornwells Heights and Andalusia areas were without electric current, this condition continuing for about two hours.

## Streets Filled With Litter By Storm at W. Palm Beach

By Irwin Safchik

(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent) WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Aug. 29.—(INS)—Old-timers in West Palm Beach who have weathered tropical hurricanes for many a year call the one that struck Friday night "one of the worst."

I can't vouch for the ones in previous years—but this 1949 storm was a dilly that surprised and almost conquered a city well educated in hurricane preparedness.

West Palm Beach was prepared long before the storm struck. Loss of life was avoided but the best laid precautionary plans failed to stem the onslaught of nature on the rampage.

The streets are a mess. House trailers are overturned, automobile fenders are smashed in, scores of plate glass windows are broken and mattresses are strewn all over the streets.

Stately royal palms lie across roads and city thoroughfares. Roofs have been partially lifted off school buildings so well thought of before the storm that they were used as shelters for hurricane refugees.

The atmosphere in this ghost-like city Saturday morning was gloomy and creepy.

During the night hundreds of refugees crowded into Red Cross-manned shelters and many were moved to new havens when their original points of safety were severely damaged.

Friday night some slept on cots and others bedded down on the floor—men, women and children alike.

The smell of kerosene lamps permeated the dismal atmosphere. Children were sickened by the odor.

One mother huddled with her five children was among those refugees evacuated from the Coniston School, a storm shelter unroofed during the hurricane's height.

The mother, Mrs. S. L. Harper, of Macon, Ga., said she was so frightened when pieces of the roof began falling off that she "couldn't remember much of what happened."

Mrs. Harper said when water began to stream into the school, occupants tried to bore holes in the floor to let the water out. That failed and the refugees were evacuated.

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## CROYDON

Mrs. Margaret Coyne, John Coyne, Mrs. Louise Hughes and daughter "Peggy" Ann, Philadelphia, were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Coyne.

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mohr entertained Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mohr, Sr., and son Carl, Trenton, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Coyne, Miss Patricia Coyne, Mrs. Jennie Sheetz, Miss Louise Wunsch, Croydon; and Arlond Jenkins, Bristol. The occasion was Mr. Mohr's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tregl, Philadelphia, spent Sunday with Mrs. Marie Tregl.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Croydon Fire Co. will resume its monthly meetings on September 6th. The meeting will be in the fire station.

Joanne Mitch, Croydon, is being administered oxygen at her home, Bucks County Rescue Squad oxygen equipment is being used.

## EDGELY

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kraft and children, Sandra, Edward and Laurie Ann, have returned home after spending the past week visiting relatives in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Thomas M. Walsh, First avenue, has returned to her home after undergoing an operation at Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia.

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## 300 Attend Reception For Couple Wed at Newportville

NEWPORTVILLE, Aug. 29 — A pretty wedding took place on Saturday afternoon, uniting Miss Mary Jane Given, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Given, and Mr. Harry J. Baum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Baum, Trenton, N. J. The double ring ceremony, performed at 2:30 p. m. by the Rev. Robert Heinz, Philadelphia, took place in Newportville Community Church—Presbyterian, the bride being given in marriage by her father. The church was decorated with palms and cut flowers.

Attending the bride were her sister, Mrs. Richard Berg, as matron of honor; Mrs. John Peehan, Bristol, and Miss Elizabeth Osborne, Philadelphia, cousin of the bride, as bridesmaids. The bridegroom's attendants were his cousin, Mr. George Rieker, Trenton, as best man; Mr. John Poland, Mercerville, and Mr. Louis Peterson, Trenton, ushers.

The organist, Miss Joan Dixon, played a prelude of organ music, the wedding march, and also accompanied the vocalist, Mrs. Elizabeth Osborne, Philadelphia, aunt of the bride, who favored with "I Love You Truly," "At Dawning," and the "Lord's Prayer."

The attractive gown worn by the bride was of white satin, made with a fitted bodice, beaded sweetheart neckline, long sleeves, full skirt sweeping into a graceful train. Her finger-tip veil edged with a net ruffle was held in place by a tiara of seed pearls; and she wore white slippers. She carried a white Bible topped with three white gardenias and white velvet ribbon.

Costumes of the attendants were made of taffeta with tight-fitting bodices, boat necklines with ruffled sleeves, long full skirts, detachable sleeves, and on their heads they wore circles of twisted maline with large bows in the back to match the gowns. Slippers were gold tone. Mrs. Berg wore an orchid costume and carried an old-fashioned bouquet of yellow gladioli; Mrs. Peehan was gowned in yellow and carried fuschia colored gladioli; Miss Osborne wore blue and carried peach colored gladioli.

A reception was held at Eddington Farms, covers being placed for 300 guests.

Leaving for a honeymoon trip to the Pocono Mountains for a week, the bride was attended in a light brown suit with brown accessories. They will reside in their newly-furnished apartment in Ewing Township, N. J.

The mothers of the bride and bridegroom were attired in navy blue with pink accessories, and wore corsages of pink rosebuds.

The bride is a graduate of St. Luke's and Children Medical Center Training School, Philadelphia. The bridegroom was in the Navy during World War II.

## In a Personal Way - - -

INTERESTING items of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. - - -

To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 846, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony.

Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

Lorraine Wichser, of Glens Falls, N. Y., has been spending a few days with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Broadbridge, Wash-

ington street. On Thursday Mrs. Broadbridge and Lorraine, with Mrs. James Slater, Bristol Terrace I, spent the day at Atlantic City, N. J., with Lorraine's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wichser, who are spending a week at the resort. Lorraine remained with her parents for the rest of the week.

Mrs. Daniel Petrino and son Daniel, Jr., of Wood and Lafayette streets, spent a few days with Mrs. Petrino's mother, Mrs. Ruth Moore, Cornwells Heights.

The Granzow Revue travelled to Fort Dix, N. J., in an Army bus on Tuesday evening and entertained at Club No. 6. Following the entertainment the group were served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gilbert and family, Philadelphia, have been guests for the past week of Mrs. Gilbert's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Neill, Newportville road.

Mrs. Morris Carter, Lafayette street, was a Tuesday luncheon guest of Mrs. Louis Brunner, Trenton, N. J.

Michael Downs, Jr., Buckley street, enlisted in the U. S. Army, and has left for Fort Dix, N. J., awaiting assignment.

Mr. and Mrs. John V. MacBlain, Trenton avenue, have been receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son on August 12th, in Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia. The baby has been named Val John.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence David, of Ogdensburg, N. Y., spent a few days with Mr. David's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Howard David, Bristol street.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gilsdorf, Mrs. Walter Clayton, Mrs. Nicholas Gilsdorf and daughter Diane, of Trenton, N. J., recently spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Gilmacova, Wood and Lafayette streets, Mr. and Mrs. Gilmacova were guests last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Gilsdorf, Morrisville.

Enroute from a vacation through the middle western states, Mrs. Florence Morris and Fred Morris, of Richmond Hills, L. I., N. Y., spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Morris, Radcliffe street.

Miss Gertrude Smith, Croydon, has been spending a few days as a guest of Miss Helen Simpson, Dorance street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson, Detroit, Mich., were guests for one week of Mr. and Mrs. William Doan, Swain street. During their stay Mr. and Mrs. Johnson with Mrs. Harold Loud, Swain street, spent a day with Mrs. A. Johnson, Collegeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Markley Streeter, Landreth Manor, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kirk, New Buckley street, have returned home after two weeks motor trip through the southern states. Enroute they visited friends in Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bower and son Thomas, Wilson avenue, spent four days with Mr. Bower's mother, Mrs. Thomas McCahon, Ocean City, N. J.

Mrs. Joseph Ennis and son Joseph Buckley street, spent a few days with Mrs. Ennis's sister, Mrs. Elmer Mills, Philadelphia. While there she attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. William Kinslow, Mt. Airy. Before returning to Bristol Mrs. Ennis and son spent a day visiting Mrs. Harry Dunn, Frankford.

Mrs. Roy Ketts, Morrisville, spent Wednesday with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hinman, Jr., Garfield street.

Mrs. Anna Wheeler, Mansion street; Miss Marie Wheeler and Mrs. Helen Patrick have been at Atlantic City, N. J., for a week.

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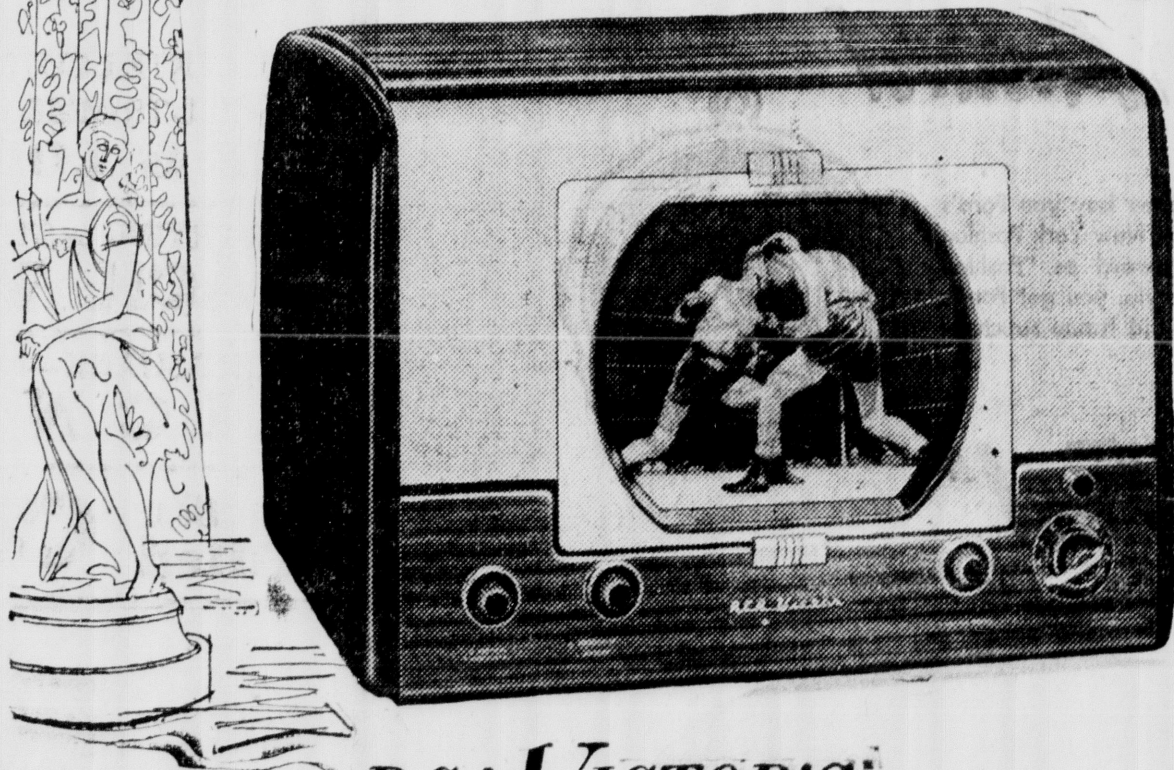
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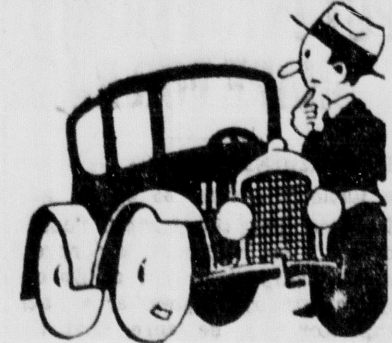
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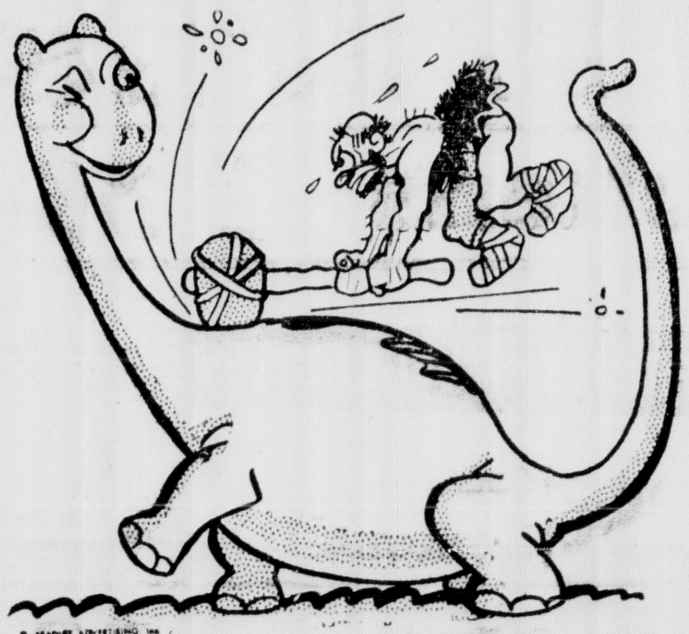
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## VOLTZ CAPTURES CHAMPIONSHIP OF BRISTOL SUBURBAN LEAGUE BY DEFEATING WEST BRISTOL

The Voltz-Texaco team, sponsored by Paul C. Voltz and managed by Barney Ludwig, captured the championship of the Bristol Suburban Baseball League for the season of 1949, with an easy 11-5 win over West Bristol yesterday afternoon on Memorial Park field.

The gasmen had a total of 15 hits in the contest with every regular player getting at least one hit save "Mickey" Mandio who went hitless in four trips to the plate. Alex Dewsnap had three for three for a perfect day before being given relief by Horace Saxton. The latter only batted once in the game.

Kermit Marsh and Earl Wagner received the lambasting from the Voltz batsmen. Marsh pitched until the third when he failed to get a batter out. Wagner stood in the remainder of the game. Marsh fanned two and walked two while Wagner struck out three and did not issue a walk.

While all this was going on, Paul Leighton, co-leader with "Bill" McGerr as the best pitcher, was holding the West Bristol hitters to six hits. "Hank" Killian paced the West Bristol batters with three out of five while "Charlie" Glassmire, the league's leading batter, went hitless in three times up, fanning twice.

The Texaco team lost no time in scoring as Dewsnap opened with a walk, stole second and scored on Dave Ludwig's two-bagger. Another run was chalked up in the second on a single by Morrell, a stolen base, a single by Leighton and Dewsnap's hit.

The gasmen did a real outburst in the third and took an 8-2 lead by scoring six times and sending Marsh to the showers. Kohler started the proceedings with a hit to left. Pursell got on base via a balk. Kohler crossed on Pappaterra's hit to left. Morrell advanced the base-runners with a bunt and also reached base on Marsh's misplay. Barney Ludwig scored two with a single. That was enough for Marsh and Wagner came in.

The relief hurler fanned Leighton but Dewsnap got a single and both Morrell and Ludwig counted. Dewsnap went to third as Kohler threw out Dave Ludwig and dented the plate on a passed ball.

Kohler's hit and Pursell's double gave Voltz another in the fourth. It climaxed its scoring with two in the eighth on an error, a fielder's choice, a two-bagger by Sackville and Pursell's bingle.

West Bristol scored a run in the second on a walk to Glassmire, an error by Morrell, a long fly, and an error by Barney Ludwig. Its second run was the result of a hit by Killian, a stolen base, and Stiles' hit.

hit. In the eighth, it counted three times on an infield single by Killian, a hit batsman, an outfield fly, and a double from the bat of Harry Saul.

Lineups:	ab	r	h	a	e
West Bristol	4	0	0	2	0
Butterworth cf	1	0	0	1	0
B. Haines cf	4	0	0	1	3
Heath ss	4	0	0	1	3
Killian 3b	5	2	3	3	1
Glassmire 1b	3	2	0	8	0
Stiles 2b	3	1	1	5	1
Rhodes c	4	0	1	5	1
Weakley rf	4	0	0	0	0
Saul lf	2	0	1	2	0
Marsh p	0	0	0	0	1
Wagner p	3	0	0	0	2

Score by innings:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
West Bristol	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Voltz-Texaco	1	1	6	1	0	0	2	8	1	1	0	0

## ST. ANN'S LOSES OPENING GAME BY SCORE OF 7-4

TRENTON, Aug. 29—St. Ann's A. lost the opener of the semi-finals of the Trenton Industrial League yesterday as it bowed to the third-place Micharski nine, 7-4, on Wetzel field.

Without VanLenten started on the hill for the "Saints" and was pounded from the box in the fifth. Paul Cervellero did fine work in relief, allowing one run and three hits.

"Fats" Weiner was the winning twirler although he did not finish. Because of a back injury, Weiner left the hill in the seventh. Jules Soltis finished.

"Rabbit" Palumbo and Bert Barbetta hit triples in the contest.

Manager "Spike" Scordia, of the "Saints," announced last evening that the second game of the series will be played on the Third Ward field next Sunday. This game was originally scheduled for Wetzel field, Trenton, for Saturday.

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## LANGHORNE OVAL PUT INTO PERFECT SHAPE FOR RACE

LANGHORNE, Aug. 29—When the nation's fastest 35 cycles and riders roar past the starter's post in the 100-Mile National Motorcycle Championship at Langhorne Speedway on Sunday, September 4, each competitor can be sure that the track will be in perfect shape for motorcycle racing—not auto racing as has been the case in the past.

The Middle Atlantic Motorcycle Dealers Association, sponsors of the annual classic which is the World Series of the cycle world, have decided to plow up the entire Langhorne raceway and to repack it and treat it for cycles alone. The Dealers, all former competitors themselves, know that the oil surface which is so satisfactory for auto racing has a tendency to slow down the two-wheeled speedsters. So they have instructed track engineers that no oil is to be laid on the raceway, no calcium is to be spread, but a special preparation which will keep down dust and allow a hard but resilient roadbed being worked into the harrowed raceway before rolling begins.

The Dealers feel that with the improvement in the machines over the past ten years, there is no reason why the record of 71.51.89 set by Ed Kretz back in 1938 should still be standing. Motorcycle authorities believe that the new type conditioning will allow some rider to break the 11 year mark this year in the championship.

"I don't know how satisfactory the track will be for auto racing," said a Middle Atlantic spokesman, "but I'm sure it will be ideal for cycle racing. It shouldn't be too much of a task to re-condition the surface back to auto conditions once our race is finished. Naturally, this move on our part was expensive, but we are sure it will pay off in faster times and better races."

## HULMEVILLE

Miss Louise Doan has accepted a position with a Philadelphia firm.

Guests on Saturday of Miss Elma E. Haefner were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Orman, New York, N. Y.; Mrs. James Hayes, of Newtown; and Mr. and Mrs. William Freund, Trenton, N. J.

Use Want Ads For Results.

## CELTIC BOYS' CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The Celtic Boys' Club held its organization meeting yesterday in the club house. Approximately 38 boys between the ages of 14 and 18 were

initiated into the club.

The club is located in the rear of 546 Pine street.

The following officers were elected: President, V. Delia; vice-president, Jerry Kelly; secretary, Kenny Brown; treasurer, Fred Booz.

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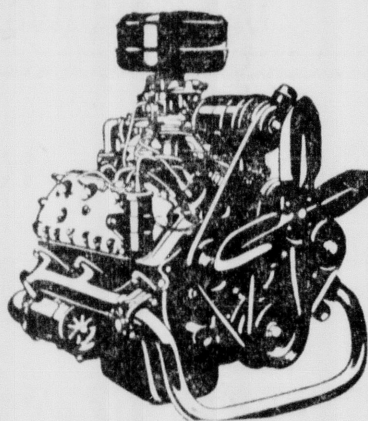
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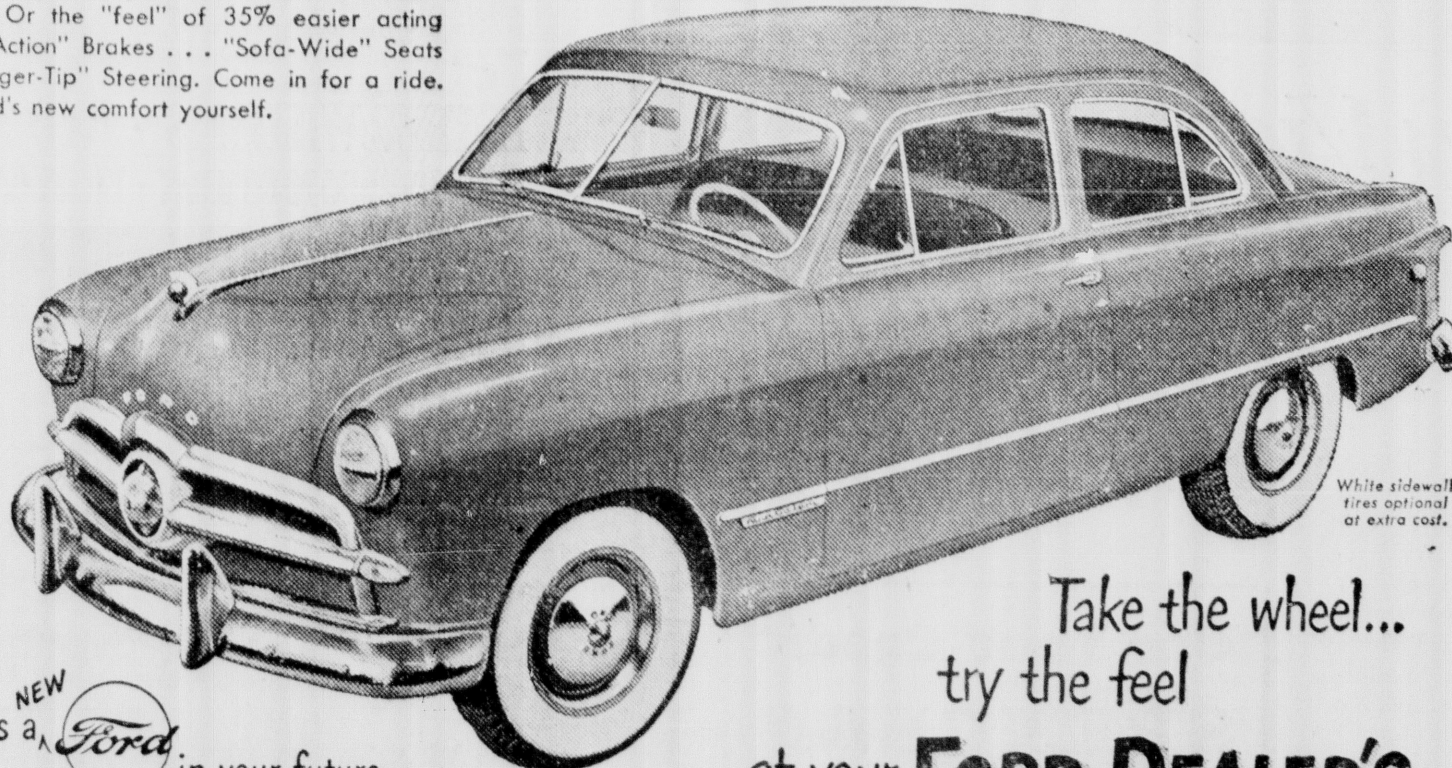
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## MARTIN SAYS "5%ERS" SHOULD BE PUT ON TRIAL

American People Shocked  
By Disclosures of Certain  
Racketeers

IS A MENACE TO GOV'T

Faith Destroyed in Integrity  
of Thousands of Honest  
Officials

The American people's faith in their national government is being rapidly undermined by the series of developments in the "five percent" scandals, U. S. Senator Edward Martin, Pennsylvania, declared in a radio address broadcast over various stations during the past weekend.

The text of Senator Martin's address follows:

"This is Ed Martin, speaking to you from the Nation's Capital and bringing you another discussion of happenings in Washington.

"For the past few weeks you have been reading the newspapers and hearing on the radio about the activities of the five percenters down here in Washington."

"No doubt you have been shocked by the disclosure that certain racketeers and chiselers have been collecting large sums of money in exchange for their influence with high government officials.

"This disgraceful situation has been brought out into the open by the investigation now being conducted by a subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Executive Expenditures.

"The Chairman of this subcommittee is the able and distinguished Senator from North Carolina, the Honorable Clyde R. Hoey.

"Senator Hoey is one of the most courteous and fair minded members of the Senate. I am confident that under his direction the investigation will be vigorous and thorough.

"The question that naturally arises is why do we have these five percenters in Washington?

"It is because the Federal government has grown so big and so complicated that the average businessman, trying to do business with the government agencies, soon finds himself hopelessly entangled in a jungle of red tape.

"Of course, there can be no complaint against the reputable business representative or attorney who operates on an honest and ethical basis.

"It is the crooked dealer in influence that Senator Hoey's subcommittee is investigating. The investigation is aimed at those who claim they can get results, not available to others, because of friendship, political association or other influence with persons holding high office in the government.

"It is directed against the fakers, the fixers, and the influence peddlers, who run around Washington bragging of their connections and selling influence to the bewildered businessman.

"Every person engaged in such disgraceful practices and every official who conspires with them is a menace to our form of government. They destroy public faith and confidence in the integrity of thousands of government officials who are honest and trustworthy.

"In this discussion I shall not attempt to review the testimony that has been presented before the committee. No doubt you have been following it closely and you are familiar with its dangerous implications.

"One interesting disclosure has been proof of the old saying that 'it pays to be ignorant.'

"Three years ago the law provided

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## G.I. on Trial



CHARGED with slaying three Germans in Stuttgart, Pvt. Russell Jones, 22, Fall River, Mass., is shown at his trial in Ludwigsburg, Germany. His lawyer having claimed that Jones was temporarily insane, he was questioned by an army alienist before trial. (International)

## HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

Activities of Interest To  
All in The Various  
Communities

GLEANED BY SCRIBES

A well-known Doylestown man is this month celebrating 50 years of continuous service with one of Landsdale's most important industrial plants, as the acknowledged dean of the glue industry.

"Fifty years isn't so very long, at that," declared J. B. B. Stryker, president of the Perkins Glue Company, who helped found his company back in 1899. President Stryker, who lives on East Court street, Doylestown, has been receiving the congratulations of his many friends.

A resident of Doylestown for 21 years, Mr. Stryker, now 70, is the sole remaining member of the group that revolutionized wood gluing. He was 19 when he joined with the late Frank G. and Gertrude Perkins in the organization of the company.

Two World Wars and three depressions have failed to impede the progress of the Landsdale plant and its organization headed by a Doylestown man.

A copy of a formal portrait of Senator Manuel Osorio Manrique de Zúñiga, by Goya, has been presented to the Swartslander Memorial Community Building at Doylestown by Mrs. Martha Dana Mercer.

Painted in 1787 or 1788, the painting is outstanding not only for the marvelous technical dexterity in the handling of the paint but for the appealing subject.

The painting shows a dreamy, solemn little boy of about three or four, posing with his cats and birds. His pet magpie on a string holds in

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P. T. A., SEPT. 15TH

Bristol Parent-Teacher Association meeting for September has been changed from the 1st to the 15th of the month.

## A SUMMARY OF THE NEWS

Indications that industrial layoffs were decreasing steadily since the middle of July were seen by the Bureau of Employment Security in a report issued yesterday. Employment conditions in New York State, Governor Dewey said, "appear definitely to be on the mend."

The Senate, carrying on alone during a House "vacation," will vote today on funds for the Department of Defense. The foreign aid program will be debated in committees and efforts will be made to speed the measure to the floor.

Fiscal experts of the United States and Canada were said to have found no fundamental error in the balance sheet Britain would offer as the basis for talks in Washington next month on the sterling area's dollar crisis.

Secretary of State Acheson and British Foreign Secretary Bevin have agreed to follow the monetary conference with a review of international political questions. The agenda, it was believed, will include the Soviet-Yugoslav situation, Communist successes in China and elsewhere in the Far East, the Austrian peace treaty and a policy for dealing with the new West German Government. A group of Germans organized to seek the revival of national unity in Germany.

## Former Resident of Falls Twp. Dies at Hightstown

Death on Saturday afternoon at a nursing home in Hightstown, N. J., claimed Mrs. Katherine I. Saylor (nee Snyder), wife of the late Evan L. Saylor. Mrs. Saylor formerly made her home at Fallsington.

Her sole survivor is a son, David C. Saylor, of Pittsburgh.

The Rev. Arthur Laedlein, rector of All Saints Episcopal Church, Fallsington, will conduct the service at the funeral home of John C. Black, 314 Cedar street, at one o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Cedar Hill Cemetery, Philadelphia, will be the site of the interment. Friends are invited to call this evening.

## DOYLESTOWN TOWNSHIP TERM IS ARRANGED

All-Day Session To Mark  
First Day on 7th of  
September

ONE FACULTY CHANGE

EDISON, Aug. 29 — An all-day session on Wednesday, September 7th, will open Doylestown township schools for the new term.

Registration for beginners will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 6, from nine until three o'clock. Beginners must be six before Feb. 1, 1950, and each must present a birth certificate as well as a vaccination certificate.

School schedules for the elementary pupils will be the same as in effect at the end of the last term. Schedules for transporting pupils to Doylestown high school have not been completed as yet because the school board is awaiting approval of bus stops by the State Highway Department.

There has been one change in the faculty. Miss Emille Luke, a resident of Mahanoy City and a recent graduate of Bucknell University, Lewisburg, will replace Mrs. Paul W. Kutz as a teacher of English and social studies in grades 6, 7, and 8. In addition, Miss Luke, who has also majored in music, will teach music in all the grades.

Other members of the faculty are: Paul W. Kutz, principal; Mrs. John Roberts, Grade 5; Mrs. Raymond Fox, Grade 4; Mrs. Carl Young, Grade 3; Mrs. John Rufe, Grade 2; and Mrs. Sampson McDowell, formerly Miss Evelyn Stever, will teach grade one. Mrs. Paul Kutz will teach art in grades 6, 7, 8 in order that Miss Luke will be able to teach music in the lower grades.

Because of the overcrowded condition, the fifth grade will be housed at the Tabor Home.

## Annual Outing, Youth Fellowship, Conducted

Seaside Heights, N. J., was the seashore resort chosen by Bensalem Methodist Youth Fellowship for its annual trip on Saturday.

Bathing and amusements were enjoyed by the following: Charles Lorenzo, Sarah Gottsabend, Eileen Graham, Jacquelin Martin, Edith Lake, Joan Roberts, Thomas Vansant, Robert Weller, Walter Myers, Shirley Cole, Dorothy Haas, Robert Randall, Gilbert Myers, Harold Myers, Doris Cole, Howard Bates, Thomas Bates, Leigh Johnson, William Randall, and Elsa Ott.

Transportation was provided by Charles Lorenzo, Thomas Vansant and Gilbert Myers.

Need Money? Let the Want Ads pinch hit for you. Sell don't want.

## IN WAKE OF FLORIDA HURRICANE



Damage estimated at \$10,000,000 was caused by the devastating hurricane that tore across southern Florida. How terrific was its force is here indicated. An uprooted palm tree has been hurled through the second-story window of a residence.

## BRACKEN CADETS TO COMPETE IN BIG EVENT

Bristol Group Considered  
To Be Contenders For  
Honors

DRAW 25TH POSITION

Robert W. Bracken Post, No. 382, Junior Cadet Corps are all set to compete today for the national championship of the junior drum and bugle corps held in connection with the American Legion convention at Olney high school stadium.

Twenty-five corps are competing and last evening there was a drawing for the order in which the corps will take the field. Bracken Post Corps drew 25th, the last position.

The competition was scheduled to get under way this morning at nine o'clock.

The corps competing come from all over the country. There are four from Chicago, and others from Baltimore, New Jersey, Utah, South Dakota, New England, Iowa and Texas.

The Bracken cadets are in good shape and it was generally considered that they had a chance to win the national championship.

Jesse W. Soby Post Cadets, of Langhorne, drew 19th position.

## Helen Simpson Is 16; Has Gala Celebration

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Simpson, Dorchester street, entertained on Wednesday evening in honor of their daughter Helen who was celebrating her 16th birthday anniversary.

A social time was enjoyed including the playing of games for prizes were given. A buffet lunch was served. Decorations were in aqua and yellow.

Those attending were: Charlotte Booz, Marie Piro, Lois Black, Joan Vanzant, Mary Tamborello, Winifred Margerum, Lillian Adams, Leonard Piro, Harry Smith, Angelo Lattanzi, George Jacoby, LeRoy Hill, Charles Utz, "Danny" McDevitt, Alan Stoneback, Louis Piro, James Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Booz and Elaine Simpson, Bristol; Gertrude Smith and Norma Waite, Croydon; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reichert, Holmesburg.

Helen was the recipient of gifts.

## 3M Stockholders To Vote On Stock Purchase

Stockholders of the Minnesota Mining & Manufacturing Co. will vote September 16 on a stock purchase plan for employees, according to William L. McKnight, 3M president.

The special meeting of stockholders will be held at the firm's home offices in St. Paul, Minn. If the plan is approved, 75,000 new shares of no-par 3M common stock will be authorized for sale to employees only.

Under provisions of the plan, employees of the parent company and of wholly-owned subsidiaries would be offered two purchase arrangements permitting installment payments.

Complete details of the plan will be made public if a majority of the stockholders vote approval, McKnight said.

14 STITCHES

Fourteen stitches were taken in a wound on the right hand of Mary Kohen, Logan street, at Harriman Hospital, Saturday evening. She was injured when she fell and her hand struck a window, hospital records show.

## Mrs. Charles Quaiser Dies at Home of Son

CROYDON, Aug. 29 — Mrs. Pauline Quaiser, widow of Charles Quaiser, died Saturday at the home of her son, August, 430 Sycamore avenue, where she has been residing.

Another son, George, of Mayfair, survives, as do also two grandchildren, Elma and Sherman Quaiser, of Mayfair. The deceased was a member of St. Thomas R. C. Church, here.

Requiem Mass is to be sung at 10 o'clock in St. Thomas Aquinas R. C. Church tomorrow at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Peter's Cemetery, Philadelphia. Relatives are invited to a funeral home at 3301 Cottman street, Philadelphia, at 8.30 tomorrow morning, prior to mass; also to call this evening from seven to nine.

## HURRICANE'S TAIL STRIKES THIS AREA

Some Trees and Limbs Are  
Blown Down; Electric  
Service Disrupted

HEAVY RAIN, WINDS

The tail-end of the Florida hurricane struck lower Bucks County early this morning, uprooting trees, snapping off limbs, tearing down wires and disrupting electrical service. There was heavy rain and high winds.

In Bristol a large tree in the yard of the Farmers National Bank of Bucks County was blown down by the storm, breaking the iron fence on the Radcliffe street side. A tree was also blown down on Trenton avenue, off of Jefferson avenue. A wire was down on Lafayette street, and hundreds of small limbs littered the streets and the St. James' Churchyard on Walnut street.

The temperature here yesterday reached a high of 91 at three and four o'clock in the afternoon. The temperature at eight o'clock yesterday was 75 and climbed gradually to the 91 mark, after which it began dropping, reaching a low of 74, or a range of 17 for the day. The per cent of relative humidity was 83, and the rain-fall early this morning recorded a precipitation of .83 of an inch.

Information on electrical service interruption given by the Philadelphia Electric Company for Bucks County and surrounding area includes: Minor service interruptions in Bristol and vicinity; interruptions in North Wales, Doylestown and Wyncote areas; also in the Parkland, Siles and Trevores areas.

The falling of trees and limbs started at about four o'clock this morning, Philadelphia Electric Co. officials said, and the crews were busy for several hours thereafter. A tree fell over wires on the Lincoln highway and was the cause of

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BABIES ARRIVE

A son was born on Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. George McCaw, Bristol Terrace 1, Saturday, in Harri-man Hospital. A daughter was born Saturday in that hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kohanski, Croydon.

STARTS TRAINING

CROYDON, Aug. 29 — Miss Lorna Smith, Second avenue, has left her position at Rosakis' store, Bristol, to commence training as a nurse at Women's Medical College of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

RETURN TO FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Wear, formerly of Bristol, who have been spending the summer in Bucks county, have returned to their home at Bonita Springs, Fla.

DO YOU REMEMBER?

(By "The Stroller")

Many years ago ice was cut from Silver Lake and stored in large ice houses built along the lake. These were wooden structures above the ground, erected on deep stone foundations. Much of the ice was packed below the surface of the ground and covered with ground cork and sawdust.

The ice was hauled up an incline which was raised as the pile of ice became higher. This was long before the days of artificial ice.

## At Last 'Roundup'



COMMANDER in Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, Theodore A. Penland, 100, Vancouver, Wash., waves a cheery hello as he arrives in Indianapolis for the last encampment of the G.A.R. Five others were in attendance. (International)

## EDNA L. LEICHLITER AND P. GOSLIN WED

Irvin Leichter Gives His  
Sister in Marriage on  
Saturday

A CHURCH CEREMONY

A late summer wedding, solemnized in Bristol Presbyterian Church, at two o'clock Saturday afternoon, united Miss Edna L. Leichter, 539 Bath street, and Mr. Paul Goslin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goslin, Bath street. The reception which followed was held at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Bertha Leichter, Bath street.

An afternoon frock of blue taffeta was worn by the bride; and the dress worn by her sister and only attendant, Mrs. John Griffiths, Bath street, was of dark green taffeta. Accessories of both were gray, and the bride and bridesmaid carried bouquets of roses.

The Rev. Edward G. Yeomans officiated, and Mr. Charles Goslin, Bath street, was best man for his brother. Organist for the occasion was Mr. Francis Phipps; and Mr. Irvin Leichter gave his sister in marriage.

Upon their return from the District of Columbia, Mr. and Mrs. Goslin will make their home at 539 Bath street.

## Johnston Residence In Croydon Is Shower Scene

CROYDON, Aug. 29 — A surprise shower was given in honor of Mrs. Elsworth Weikel at the home of Mrs. William Johnston, Thursday evening. The dining room was decorated in pink and blue, and the table was so arranged as to form a bassinets.

Those present: Mrs. A. Fisher, Mrs. William Conn, Miss Mary Lamm, Mrs. Joseph Rauback, Mrs. Arthur Teichman, Mrs. William Johnston, Jr., Mrs. William Sibold, Mrs. Francis Grafenstine, Mrs. Michael Sottung.

ONE MAN'S OPINION

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## ADMINISTERS OATH TO BIESTER AS A BUCKS CO. JUDGE

Former District Attorney Is  
The Youngest to Serve in  
That Capacity

A LARGE GATHERING

Willard S. Curtin Succeeds  
Biestler As District  
Attorney

DOYLESTOWN, Aug. 29 — Edward G. Biester, former district attorney of Bucks County, this morning was administered the oath of office as an additional law judge of the seventh judicial district of Pennsylvania. This was the first time such a ceremony had taken place in Bucks County in the last 19 years, and there was a large assembly of relatives and friends, members of the Bucks County Bar, and representatives of civic and semi-civic groups in the county. There were 12 baskets and vases of flowers sent as congratulatory "messages."

Mr. Biester becomes the 20th judge to serve Bucks County and the youngest one ever to fill that high position.

The ceremony took place at a special session of court. The appointment of Mr. Biester as Judge by Governor James H. Duff was read by Isaac S. Gross, prothonotary. Biester was named to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Judge Calvin S. Boyer on July 12th, due to ill health.

"Do you accept the appointment?" Judge Keller asked Mr. Biester. "I do," Mr. Biester replied.

Mr. Biester then filed his resignation as district attorney in the Court of Common Pleas, stipulating that Willard Curtin, the present assistant district attorney, be named to the office which he was

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Mrs. Ludwig Muensterer,  
Age 46, Dies in Hospital

HULMEVILLE, Aug. 29 — Ill for a month, and hospitalized 19 days, Mrs. Katherine Muensterer (nee Purvin), wife of Ludwig Muensterer, died in Abington Hospital on Saturday. She was 46 years of age.

Mrs. Muensterer had resided at Trenton and Durham roads, Middletown township, for four years, and previous to that lived at Newportville for eight years. She was a native of Germany.

The deceased held membership in Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, Penned; and in Minnewa Council, No. 142, Daughters of Pophontas. The latter organization will conduct a service at eight o'clock tomorrow evening at the Faust funeral home, Bellevue avenue, here. Service there on Wednesday afternoon will be at two o'clock. Interment is to take place in Oakland Cemetery, Philadelphia, and friends may call tomorrow evening from seven to nine.

Surviving Mrs. Muensterer are her husband; a daughter, Judith Ann, aged four years; her mother, Mrs. Marie Purvin, Middletown township; and the following sister and brothers: Mrs. Gottlieb Duerr, August Purvin, Philadelphia; Albert Purvin, Bristol; William Purvin, Langhorne R. D. 1.

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## LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

FOR 24-HOUR PERIOD ENDING 9 A. M.  
ATRONOMICAL WEATHER OBSERVATORY  
BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings

Maximum 91  
Minimum 71  
Range 20

Hourly Temperature

8 a. m. yesterday 75  
9 78  
10 81  
11 84  
12 noon 87  
1 p. m. 90  
2 91  
3 91  
4 91  
5 89  
6 86  
7 83  
8 81  
9 80  
10 78  
11 76  
12 midnight 70  
1 a. m. today 75  
2 75  
3 75  
4 76  
5 76  
6 74  
7 74  
8 74  
9 75

P. C. Relative Humidity 93  
Precipitation (inches) .83

TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water 7:56 a. m.; 8:31 p. m.  
Low water 2:44 a. m.; 3:09 p. m.

## LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

### Concede Defeat of Economy "Rider"

Washington — Senate backers of the McClellan economy "rider" to require President Truman to slash Government spending by from five to ten per cent privately conceded defeat today. One top-ranking Republican said that because of absences, Sen. McClellan (D., Ark.) would "fall short" of the two-thirds margin he must have when the showdown comes at two p. m., EDT, today.

### Poling Asks Legion to Support Pacific Pact

Philadelphia — Dr. Daniel A. Poling, president of the Christian Herald, today called on the American Legion to support a "MacArthur plan and a Pacific pact" to fight Communism in the Far East. Dr. Poling, addressing the Legion's 31st annual convention, declared he believed China and the Far East can be saved from Communism. He warned, however, that "World War Three is inevitable" if Communism is not choked off in the East. The prominent Baptist minister criticized this nation's foreign policy in the Far East, and called for an Eastern equivalent of the Marshall Plan and the Atlantic Pact.

The American Legion Auxiliary reported today that Pennsylvania has 109,000 unemployed veterans, more than any other state in the nation. Mrs. Hubert A. Goode, of Portland, Ore., president of the Legion Auxiliary, based her figures on a survey of the 48 states, Alaska and Hawaii. Summing up the survey's findings, Mrs. Goode reported that "the veteran has not been forgotten and the problem of unemployment among this group is well under control."



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**UNCLE SAM, MERCHANT**

Those who believe in the efficiency of government operations should consider for a moment the career of Uncle Sam, merchant.

One week this month he bought and stored 10,000,000 pounds of butter, giving him a total butter inventory of 20,000,000 pounds at a cost of 62 cents wholesale. Since January 1 he's stocked 143,000,000 dozen eggs, one for each citizen of the country. He has acquired 583,000,000 bushels of corn and nearly as much wheat. The great gob of spuds on Uncle Sam's shelves is an old story.

Uncle Sam, merchant, has a headache over his inventory now and will have a worse one. His backers, the taxpayers, are contracting a severe pain in the neck.

Some of the members of the board of directors want to cut down on this inventory, but others are determined to add to it vastly by offering more money for any odds and ends lying loose around the country that Uncle Sam can pick up. The idea seems to be to create the biggest junk yard the world ever saw. If there are no customers for the junk, why what the heck?

In terms of the experience of any individual this is utterly preposterous. Yet Uncle Sam, merchant, is doing it every day. He's a great old buyer of goods with absolutely no ideas about merchandising them.

**SPARKS IN THE BALKANS**

Under ordinary circumstances the idea of two communist nations fighting each other is not distasteful to Americans and other free peoples. The theory is that the busier Russia is kept disciplining her satellites the greater is the drain on her resources and the less of a menace she is to her peaceful neighbors in western Europe.

Unfortunately, it is difficult to cultivate this comfortable feeling about the present conflict between the Soviet and Yugoslavia. That is because it is never safe to ignore affairs in the Balkans. This particular region has always been a European trouble spot and the world knows to its sorrow the woes that have come to it from little battles that have started there.

How serious the Soviet is in its determination to liquidate the Tito government and how far it will go in achieving its purpose must be, for the moment, matters of conjecture. But obviously it can continue merely to write threatening notes and issue name calling radio broadcasts to which Yugoslavia can reply in kind. The Russians will not be able to save face through that process and it is not in their recent tradition to back down when national prestige is at stake.

So there could be no bloodshed eventually and that is where the danger lies. That explains, too, why both France and Great Britain are worried. They remember that other fires lighted in the Balkans became full-size conflagrations in the end.

**ECHOES OF THE PAST**

(By Courier Staff Member)

Review of the news as it appeared in the Bucks County Gazette issue dated at Bristol June 14, 1900. The Gazette, a weekly newspaper published in Bristol, was discontinued following its merger

At the annual meeting of the Union Building and Loan Association, held on Monday evening, the following directors were elected for the ensuing year: Ernest Lawrence, William Crichton, Andrew Bauer, Albert Loehner, William J. Davis, Doron Green and Louis Loehner. At a subsequent meeting of the directors, the following officers were chosen: Andrew Bauer, president; B. P. Gillespie, secretary; H. B. Beatty, treasurer.

The well-known eye specialists, W. H. Podesta & Co., of Philadelphia, have opened an office in Bristol at Martin's drug store on Radcliffe street.

Lawrence F. McOwen, of Bristol, was one of the graduates of the Department of Law of the University of Pennsylvania (Philadelphia) yesterday. Thomas O. Pelee, formerly of this place, was also a graduate.

Special prices this week: . . . Finest Carolina head rice, 6c; barrel steel tacks, 3 barrels, 5c; 60 clothes pins, 5c; jar rubbers, per doz. 4c. S. C. Childs, Mill and Cedar sts. (Advertisement).

Dennis A. Dugan and William A. Gorton have been drawn on the grand jury for the September term of criminal court. For traverse jurors—Charles M. Guyon and Charles Willard have been drawn. For the October civil term—Neil J. McVaine, Joseph G. Bell, William J. Brennan, Robert T. Rue, R. Chester Stover, James Harkins, William S. Daniels, William La Rue and Daniel Campbell have been drawn.

The Philadelphia conference of the A. M. E. Church adjourned at Chester on Monday. Bishop Derrick announced the appointments of which the following is a portion of the list: Bristol, W. H. Bryant; Langhorne, C. F. Warfield; Bensalem, J. W. Polk; Newtown, William Oliver.

The borough street committee yesterday reconsidered their determination relative to the resurfacing

of Radcliffe street. They have decided to put a top dressing upon the three-quarter stone and have the street rolled in the usual manner. The numerous complaints as to its present condition may have had some influence in changing the action of the committee.

Colonel Edward deV. Morrell, of Torresdale, has been elected master of bounds of the Rose Tree Hunt Club to succeed the late George W. Hill.

(Following items from Gazette of June 21, 1900)

General Davis, president of the Bucks County Historical Society, has received from Charles Young, in charge of the department of heraldry of the Bailey, Banks & Biddle establishment, Philadelphia, a handsomely embossed design of the original tree and vine county seal of Bucks.

While crossing the Reading Railroad at Wissahickon on Friday night, Aaron Farrell, of Bristol, a veteran of the Civil War, was struck by a train and instantly killed. Mr. Farrell lived on the upper part of Radcliffe street, near the hollow bridge, and was on the way to the home of his brother, Moses Farrell, Roxborough, to attend the funeral of Harry Nace, a life-long friend.

St. Paul's Mission was crowded last Friday evening with people who responded to the invitation to be present to welcome the Rev. Thomas J. Garland, the new minister in charge.

Introductory remarks were by William V. Leech.

HULMEVILLE—Daniel Alexander has been receiving congratulations from his many friends of late. It is said that "Dan" became tired of single blessedness and took unto himself a wife on May 30th.

PENNS MANOR—About 100 cases of the 1899 tobacco crop in the Manor have been hauled to Tullytown station and put on board cars, bought by E. L. Nissly & Co., Lancaster County.

**Martin Says "5 Percenters" Should Be Put On Trial**

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that building materials must be saved for homes. None could be diverted for such non-essential construction as race tracks.

"Yet, a race track in California got permission to go ahead and build grandstands. True, it took some intensive pushing by General Harry Vaughan, the President's Military Aide. But it was a rather cute loophole in the law which finally cleared the way.

"The law provided that, if someone had innocently started to build a non-essential project, in ignorance of the law, then the Federal Housing Expediter had discretionary power to permit the work to continue.

"The racetrack people appeared thoroughly advised on this loophole. They just went ahead and built. When the housing authorities moved in to stop them, they looked innocently bewildered. They pointed to their started project and yelled for help. They knew where to get it.

"Immediately John F. Maragon and James V. Hunt, two five percenters, with the influence of General Vaughan, went to work.

"Thereupon the Federal Housing Expediter exercised his discretion to give the racetrack the green light to finish the project.

"Well, you see it pays to be ignorant, even if you have to buy that ignorance from a Washington five percenter.

"When the testimony is completed and corruption is established, every one involved in these scandals should be prosecuted promptly and vigorously and to the full extent of the law.

"As citizens interested in good government we should give serious thought to the conditions that made this investigation necessary.

"Experience has shown that the bigger government becomes and the farther its functions are removed from the people, the greater are the opportunities for graft and corruption.

"In recent years the Federal government has grown by leaps and bounds without the slightest semblance of systematic planning. It has become a hodge-podge—a crazy quilt of duplication and overlapping.

"Many of the same functions are carried on in different agencies, boards and commissions, each acting independently of the other and frequently at cross-purposes.

"It is no wonder that the average businessman who comes to Washington is pushed around from pillar to post trying to find the right official to talk to about his particular problem.

"The larger corporations have established offices, manned by full-time staffs, to expedite the handling of their business with the government.

"But the little fellow—the small businessman—cannot afford to

maintain permanent representation in Washington.

"When he comes to the Capital he finds himself confused and bewildered, trying to grope his way through the mazes of Federal bureaucracy. He searches for someone who knows the ropes—and that is where the five percenter comes in.

"Frequently the businessman falls into the hands of one who pretends that nothing can be accomplished without influence—and that influence can be had at a price. He is handed the same old line—so often repeated here in Washington.

"It's not what you know but who you know that gets results.

"That alone should serve as a warning but too often, I regret to say, it is accepted by men who should know better.

"Because the government has grown so big every Senator and every Congressman is swamped with requests from constituents seeking advice and guidance in government matters.

"That grows out of the fact that the United States government has become the biggest business corporation in the world.

"Just ten years ago we were greatly alarmed because Federal government spending had reached 10 billion dollars a year. In the present fiscal year the government will spend approximately 46 and a half billions.

"In order to visualize this enormous increase in government and its spending, let me make a few comparisons.

"During President Roosevelt's three terms the average yearly spending of the Federal government was 31 billion dollars, including most of the military cost of World War II.

"In the four post-war years of the Truman Administration, in peace time, the average yearly spending has jumped to 45 billion dollars, an increase of almost fifty percent.

"Mr. Truman has collected and spent more money than all the other 31 Presidents put together down to the beginning of World War II.

"In 1924 years they spent a little less than 180 billion dollars.

"Now, mark this.

"In the four years from July 1, 1945 to July 1 of this year the present Administration has spent more than 180 billion dollars.

"Let me make another comparison.

"Taxes went up in the Roosevelt Administration. They were increased 16 times to the highest levels in the history of our country.

"During that period the average yearly tax collection by the Federal government was 14 billion dollars.

"The Truman Administration has collected three times that amount in taxes each year and last January recommended further tax increases. However, that recommendation has since been withdrawn.

"In 1949, three billion dollars of the government spending went di-

rectly to the business concerns of our country. But this year, only a year later, more than 20 billions of government money will flow directly into the business concerns.

"From those figures you can readily understand that our government is the biggest single customer in the world.

"It is no wonder that hundreds of businessmen troop into Washington every day seeking government orders or contracts.

"With the confusion that now exists the small businessman is forced to employ someone who represents himself as an expert.

"The present investigation of the five percenters has already resulted in one decided improvement that will be helpful to the small businessman.

"The Secretary of Defense, Louis Johnson, has directed the establishment of a new information center for military procurement. Offices have been set up in the Pentagon Building staffed by Army, Navy and Air Force personnel.

"Here complete information is available to all prospective bidders without the assistance of the influence peddler or the professional fixer.

"That is a step in the right direction. It should be adopted by all other departments.

"During the 80th Congress I was a member of the Senate Small Business Committee which performed a valuable service for small business in America.

"It was created to help the little fellow with his business problems. Thousands of them called upon the Committee for guidance and assistance in their dealings with the government.

"They did not need the help of five percenters, but I regret to report that the majority party in the Senate has refused to continue the Small Business Committee. It no longer exists.

"The five percenter is a parasite of big government. The denser the jungle in Washington becomes, the more he thrives.

"The real way to eliminate the five percenter is to hack away the thicket of red tape, confusion and duplication.

"The great need today is to streamline the government and do away with the zig-zag ramifications that have developed through the years of mismanagement.

"If we do this the average citizen will not have to pay a guide to take him through the jungle of government.

"In conclusion let me say with all the emphasis at my command that if our government is not streamlined—if spending is not curtailed—if waste and extravagance is not eliminated—if we do not return to sound fiscal policies—the five percenter will be the least of our worries."

**Here and There In Bucks County Towns**

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its back a card bearing Goya's signature.

The artist's affectionate feeling for children—his wife bore him 29—resulted in sympathetic portraits.

The quiet elegance of this portrait is characteristic of this period of Goya's activity shortly before he was made court painter. The orig-

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linal, which was acquired from descendants of the Osorio family in Spain, belonged for many years to Madame Bernstein, mother of the French playwright Henri Bernstein.

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lawn supper on Sunday, in honor of the silver wedding anniversary of Mrs. Daniels' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Lightkep, Richboro.

Guests included Jerome McMullen, Richboro; Mr. and Mrs. Harry McMullen, Doylestown; the Misses

Mae and Bessie Lightkep, Fort Washington; Mrs. Florence Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kerr, Jarrettown; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Lightkep, Ambler; Mr. and Mrs. William M. Taylor, Lansdale; Mr. and Mrs. John F. Gill, Mary, Jeffery

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## YOUTH LEAGUE PLAYOFFS AGAIN ARE DEADLOCKED

CROYDON, Aug. 29—As a result of Bristol Terrace winning over Croydon A. C. here, yesterday afternoon, the Bristol Youth Baseball League playoffs are again deadlocked. Final score of the tilt was: Terrace, 9; Croydon, 6.

The fifth and final game of the series will be played Labor Day afternoon on the Third Ward field. League officials completed arrangements for this game last evening.

Last season, Croydon and Terrace went five games in their play-off series, with Croydon finally emerging the victor. Terrace had won the first two games and then lost the next three.

"Pete" Rubino won his second mound win of the series by beating the Croydonites. In doing so, he

permitted four hits. In the fourth and fifth frames, Rubino's mates cracked behind his pitching and aided by a triple from the bat of "Jim" Marshall pulled within striking distance of the Terrace score.

The winners had nine hits off Lane Conn and "Jimmy" Morrell. Conn went to pieces in the fifth and was replaced by Morrell. Leading the Terrace team with the stick were Frank Barbetta and Graceon White. The latter had three hits and drove in two runs while Barbetta had two out of three and also had two runs batted in.

Four runs in the fifth actually gave Marty Braam's team the victory. The trouble started with one gone when Frank Rich walked and White singled. "Bill" Condit then larruped a triple to left and both runners crossed. A walk, a hit batsman, and an error produced two more runs and the game was in the bag for Terrace.

Lineups:  
Terrace: ab r h o a e  
Braam ss 3 0 0 2 3 1  
Barbetta c 3 2 2 4 1 1  
Weida rf 3 1 0 0 0 0  
Rich lf 4 1 1 1 0 1

White cf 4 1 3 2 0 0  
Condit lb 3 1 1 7 0 0  
Cochran 2b 3 1 1 5 1 0  
J. Muth 3b 3 1 1 0 1 2  
Rubino p 4 1 0 0 3 1

Croydon: 29 9 9 21 9 6  
Loeffler ss 2 1 0 2 4 2  
Struble 2b 4 0 1 0 2 0  
Domnick c 2 2 1 7 1 0  
Moll lb 3 2 1 6 0 0  
Holgate cf 3b 3 1 0 1 1 0  
Hedrick rf, cf 2 0 0 1 0 0  
Morrell lf, p 3 0 0 0 0 1  
Marshall lf, p 3 0 1 1 0 0  
Conn rf, p 3 0 0 1 2 0

Score by innings:  
Terrace 2 2 0 0 4 1 0-9  
Croydon 0 0 0 3 3 0 0-6

Michener, Pulitzer  
Winner, Off On Trip

DOYLESTOWN, Aug. 29—Pulitzer prize winning author James A. Michener, and Mrs. Michener have left Colorado for Australia and Islands of the south Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Michener, who reside in Tinticum township when in Bucks county, left Thursday by plane for Australia. They will be gone until next March while Mr. Michener is doing a magazine stint

for a popular magazine. The former World War II. Naval officer will re-visit many of the islands which he caught on the printed page of his famed book, "Tales of the South Pacific."

"We feel lonely and miss, so

much, everything about the East," Mrs. Michener wrote a friend near here. "We are making the trip by air because of the tie-up in ships. "We hardly get any New York city news or other news about the East but have managed to see one Sunday issue of 'The New York

Times' and through a friend, who was lucky enough to have a subscription to another New York newspaper, manage to keep up with the news trends. "My husband enjoys this part of the world—Colorado—but I have been much affected by the altitude."

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# VOLTZ CAPTURES CHAMPIONSHIP OF BRISTOL SUBURBAN LEAGUE BY DEFEATING WEST BRISTOL

The Voltz-Texaco team, sponsored by Paul C. Voltz and managed by Barney Ludwig, captured the championship of the Bristol Suburban Baseball League for the season of 1949, with an easy 11-5 win over West Bristol yesterday afternoon on Memorial Park field.

The gasmen had a total of 15 hits in the contest with every regular player getting at least one hit save "Mickey" Mandio who went hitless in four trips to the plate. Alex Dewsnap had three for three for a perfect day before being given relief by Horace Saxton. The latter only batted once in the game.

Kermit Marsh and Earl Wagner received the lambasting from the Voltz batsmen. Marsh pitched until the third when he failed to get a batter out. Wagner stood in the remainder of the game. Marsh fanned two and walked two while Wagner struck out three and did not issue a walk.

While all this was going on, Paul Leighton, co-leader with "Bill" McGerr as the best pitcher, was holding the West Bristol hitters to six hits. "Hank" Killian paced the West Bristol batters with three out of five while "Charlie" Glassmire, the league's leading batter, went hitless in three times up, fanning twice.

The Texaco team lost no time in scoring as Dewsnap opened with a walk, stole second and scored on Dave Ludwig's two-bagger. Another run was chalked up in the second on a single by Morrell, a stolen base, a single by Leighton and Dewsnap's hit.

The gasmen did a real outburst in the third and took an 8-2 lead by scoring six times and sending Marsh to the showers. Kohler started the proceedings with a hit to left. Pursell got on base via a balk. Kohler crossed on Pappaterra's hit to left. Morrell advanced the base-runners with a bunt and also reached base on Marsh's misplay. Barney Ludwig scored two with a single. That was enough for Marsh and Wagner came in.

The relief hurler fanned Leighton but Dewsnap got a single and both Morrell and Ludwig counted. Dewsnap went to third as Wagner threw out Dave Ludwig and dented the plate on a passed ball.

Kohler's hit and Pursell's double gave Voltz another in the fourth. It climaxed its scoring with two in the eighth on an error, a fielder's choice, a two-bagger by Sackville and Pursell's bingle.

West Bristol scored a run in the second on a walk to Glassmire, an error by Morrell, a long fly, and an error by Barney Ludwig. Its second run was the result of a hit by Killian, a stolen base, and Stiles' hit.

## ST. ANN'S LOSES OPENING GAME BY SCORE OF 7-4

TRENTON, Aug. 29.—St. Ann's A. lost the opener of the semi-finals of the Trenton Industrial League yesterday as it bowed to the third-place Micharski nine, 7-4, on Wetzel field.

Wilbur VanLenten started on the hill for the "Saints" and was pounded from the box in the fifth. Paul Cervellero did fine work in relief, allowing one run and three hits.

"Fats" Weiner was the winning twirler although he did not finish. Because of a back injury, Weiner left the hill in the seventh. Jules Soltis finished.

"Rabbit" Palumbo and Bert Barbetta hit triples in the contest.

Manager "Spike" Scordia, of the "Saints," announced last evening that the second game of the series will be played on the Third Ward field next Sunday. This game was originally scheduled for Wetzel field, Trenton, for Saturday.

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# LANGHORNE OVAL PUT INTO PERFECT SHAPE FOR RACE

LANGHORNE, Aug. 29.—When the nation's fastest 35 cycles and riders roar past the starter's post in the 190-Mile National Motorcycle Championship at Langhorne Speedway on Sunday, September 4, each competitor can be sure that the track will be in perfect shape for motorcycle racing — not auto racing as has been the case in the past.

The Middle Atlantic Motorcycle Dealers Association, sponsors of the annual classic which is the World Series of the cycle world, have decided to plow up the entire Langhorne raceway and to repack it and treat it for cycles alone. The Dealers, all former competitors themselves, know that the oil surface which is so satisfactory for auto racing has a tendency to slow down the two-wheeled speedsters. So they have instructed track engineers that no oil is to be laid on the raceway, no calcium is to be spread; but a special preparation which will keep down dust and allow a hard but resilient roadbed being worked into the harrowed raceway before rolling begins.

The Dealers feel that with the improvement in the machines over the past ten years, there is no reason why the record of 71.51.89 set by Ed Kretz back in 1938 should still be standing. Motorcycle authorities believe that the new type conditioning will allow some rider to break the 11 year mark this year in the championship.

"I don't know how satisfactory the track will be for auto racing," said a Middle Atlantic spokesman, "but I'm sure it will be ideal for cycle racing. It shouldn't be too much of a task to re-condition the surface back to auto conditions once our race is finished. Naturally, this move on our part was expensive, but we are sure it will pay off in faster times and better races."

HULMEVILLE

Miss Louise Doan has accepted a position with a Philadelphia firm. Guests on Saturday of Miss Elma E. Haefner were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Orman, New York, N. Y.; Mrs. James Hayes, of Newtown; and Mr. and Mrs. William Freund, Trenton, N. J.

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# CELTIC BOYS' CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The Celtic Boys' Club held its organization meeting yesterday in the club house. Approximately 38 boys between the ages of 14 and 18 were

initiated into the club. The club is located in the rear of 646 Pine street. The following officers were elected: President, V. Della; vice-president, Jerry Kelly; secretary, Kenny Brown; treasurer, Fred Booz.

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